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SURPRISE AT INQUIRY

Hearing Came to Abrupt End When Mrs. Sutton Was Recalled.

WITNESS WEPT ON THE STAND

Judge Advocate Closed Proceedings When Effort Was Made to Introduce Mrs. Sutton's Letters. Utley on Stand.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 6.—The re-appearance on the witness stand today of Mrs. James N. Sutton, mother of Lieutenant Sutton, U. S. M. C., of Portland, Ore., whose death is being investigated by the Naval Board of Inquiry here, was the signal for a heated controversy between the lawyers on all sides which ended in a prolonged conference of the members of the board behind closed doors and brought the day's proceedings to an abrupt ending. Several witnesses had been disposed of during the day when Judge Advocate Leonard called Mrs. Sutton to the stand. Before proceeding with her examination Major Leonard offered for identification and to be read in evidence, several letters which he said Mrs. Sutton had written containing serious and delicate charges against the young officers of the marine corps who appeared as defendants.

"The United States has been put to a large expense in bringing witnesses here from all parts of the world," said Major Leonard, "and it becomes my painful duty to offer those letters in evidence in order to enlighten this court as fully as possible in all matters pertaining to this inquiry."

Henry E. Davis, counsel for Mrs. Sutton, made strenuous objection on the ground that Mrs. Sutton was not present to make any accusations and that the letters in question were irrelevant to the inquiry and of a personal and incompetent nature as evidence.

Mrs. Sutton broke down and buried her face in her handkerchief during Mr. Davis' remarks.

"I would have Mr. Davis remember," said Major Leonard, "that the hallowed grave of a dead son is no more sacred than the reputation of a living officer, and there are many such reputations at stake here."

Mr. Birney, counsel for Lieut. Adams, protested that Mrs. Sutton had consistently tried to avoid her true position in the proceedings, and urged that the letters be read in evidence. At this point Commander Hood, president of the board, ordered court closed and went into conference with his associates on the board, and the judge advocate.

Upon returning from an adjoining room, Commander Hood announced that the letters would be read in closed court tomorrow to the interested parties, and their counsel.

Following the completion of Lieut. Utley's cross examination at the morning session, Surgeon T. C. Cook, who recently returned with Lieut. Utley on the U. S. S. North Carolina, was a witness. He testified that he performed the autopsy on Sutton's body and declared from the nature of the bullet wound in the lieutenant's head it would have been difficult for him to shoot himself, holding the revolver in the ordinary manner. He added, however, that it was his belief Sutton committed suicide.

OUTLINES.

President Taft will spend November 9th in Wilmington, according to the itinerary of his Fall tour which will embrace 13,000 miles and take him into all but eight or 10 States of the Union. October 16th, he will shake hands across the border with President Diaz, of Mexico——The Democrats were more united on the tariff during its consideration in Congress more than they have been since the Civil War, while the Republicans were badly shattered, according to a clear statement given out at Washington yesterday by Hon. Champ Clark, Domestic House leader——During the week there has been a heavy slump in cotton, although prices are now 2 to 3 cents higher than they were a year ago——The hearing at White Plains, N. Y., to determine the sanity of Harry K. Thaw will be concluded with arguments of attorneys today and Justice Mills will render his decision next Thursday——Judge Mann's majority for Governor of Virginia in the Democratic primary increases with additional reports——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 7-8, closing bid and offered at 1 3-4; spot cotton 10 points higher, closing quiet at 12.70; flour easier with a quiet local trade; wheat barely steady, No. 2 red new 1.11 domestic elevator, No. 2 red new 1.13 1-4 prompt f. o. b. afloat; corn steady, No. 2 old 80 asker delivered, No. 2 new 60 1-8, Winter shipment; oats easy, mixed 48 1-2; turpentine firm; rosin quiet.

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ABRAM EBY'S PAST RECORD

Mayor Who Threatened to Dynamite Road Was Richmond Lawyer Once—Refuses to Make Statement—His Record.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., Au. 6.—Abram C. Eby, mayor of Burkeville, lawyer and commissioner in bankruptcy, who is under arrest in Philadelphia, Pa., on a charge of devising a scheme to defraud through the use of the United States mails, and who was caught after President McRea, of the Pennsylvania railroad, had received several letters threatening destruction to the entire railroad property unless $45,000 was sent to the writer, is well known in Richmond, where he once practiced law. He was the author of citations to the code of Virginia, which was considered a very creditable work among lawyers here, and which during its day had a large circulation among the members of the bar. He married a daughter of Dr. Aristides Monteiro, once a well known physician of this city, but lived with her only a year before they were divorced.

Eby, it is said, once had an idea that untold treasure was buried in Hollywood Cemetery, the sleeping place of Jefferson Davis, Fitzhugh Lee and other Confederate heroes, and he attempted to form a company to search for the gold. None was found.

Philadelphia, Aug. 6.—Unruffled by the serious charges against him, Abram C. Eby, the mayor of Burkeville, Va., refused to make any statement today. While being led away from the hearing yesterday a deputy marshal declared today Eby murmured that the railroads had "cheated him out of $200.000."

He is said to be the son of Samuel Eby for many years a prominent resident of Lancaster county, Pennsylvania. At the age of 17 years he went to Virginia where he studied law and was appointed a referee in bankruptcy by the United States district court. He entered into communication today with friends in Burkeville to secure bail.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Abram C. Eby, mayor of Burkeville, Va., is liable, according to the postal officials to punishment on three counts on each of which the penalty is 18 months imprisonment, or an aggregate of 4 1-2 years.

It was stated today at the postoffice department that Eby probably would be tried in the United States court of the Eastern district of Virginia which has jurisdiction in his case.

Official announcement of the resignation of John G. Capers, of South Carolina, as Commissioner of Internal Revenue, to take effect September 1st and of the appointment of Royal E. Cabell present postmaster of Richmond, Va., to succeed him, was made by the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington yesterday.

AFFAIRS AT THE CAPITAL

Mineral Water Condemned—Firemen's Insurance Company—New Company at Fayetteville—Teachers' Examination—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 6.—The Bulletin of the North Carolina Board of Health, issued today contains this notice under the caption "Dangerous Water." "Under Chapter 808, Laws of 1909 the public is hereby officially notified that the water sold by the Buffalo Lithia Springs Water Co., of Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va., has been found in three successive analyses made by the State laboratory of hygiene to be dangerous to the public health."

The law requires the analysis of all waters offered for sale in North Carolina and for the publication of impurities when there have been found to be such in three successive analyses, proprietors of the waters being notified of the results each time for remedial opportunities. Dr. C. A. Shore, in charge of the State laboratory of hygiene says these samples analyzed were obtained from Buffalo Lithia waters sold at Winston-Salem, Goldsboro, Greensboro and Raleigh.

President J. D. McNeill, of the North Carolina Firemen's Association, says there is every indication now that there will be a fire insurance company organized under the auspices of the Association. He is here from Fayetteville to meet with others of the special committee appointed at Asheville during the last annual meeting of the Association to look into the matter and proceed with the organization of the company if deemed advisable. The committee thinks it will be some days yet before definite announcement can be made, but the outlook is bright for the success of the movement, they say.

That the business of the Raleigh postoffice aggregated $1,176,893 is the showing made by Postmaster Briggs in his annual report just issued. The sale of stamps, box rents and postage aggregated $91,473 against $84,070. The remittances from other North Carolina postoffices rounded up $612,720. And Postmaster Briggs paid out

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DEMOCRATS SOLID

Position in Congress on Payne Aldrich Tariff Bill.

ECLIPSED ALL PAST RECORDS

Republicans Badly Shattered While Democrats Were More United Than Since Civil War—Leader Champ Clark.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Aug. 6.—The House Democratis came out of the tariff fight more thoroughly united on the question than they have been for a generation, while the reverse is true of the Republicans, according to a statement issued today by Champ Clark, of Missouri, minority leader in the House. The statement follows:

"The old saying that habit is second nature, was never more strikingly illustrated than by the fact that many newspapers—generally Republican or near-Republican—and more individuals keep mouthing about the dissensions among House Democrats and the perfect unity among House Republicans, notwithstanding the truth known of all men who care to know it, that the House Democrats came out of the tariff fight more thoroughly united on that question than they have been in a generation and the Republicans came out of it worse shattered than ever before.

"Some papers, either through carelessness or malice have gone so far as to say that had the Democrats not been absent in large numbers unpaired we would have defeated the conference report on the tariff bill.

"There isn't a syllable of truth in it, and to so charge is either unadulterated malice or criminal negligence. Now mark how plain a tale will put them down.

"Upon my motion last Spring to recommit the Payne bill with instructions—which instructions constitute a comprehensive Democratic platform so far as the tariff is concerned. All Democrats voted for it except four. On the Payne bill itself, voted on immediately after my motion to recommit was defeated, the Republicans lost one vote and the Democrats lost four, a net loss to the Democrats of three—a more nearly unanimous Democratic vote than has been cast on a tariff bill in a generation.

"True, that on some of the items a few Democrats flew the track, but so did more Republicans.

Let's examine into the comparity among Democrats and Republicans. On Mr. Payne's motion to recommit the conference report, all the Democrats except one voted for it and twenty Republicans voted with us, so that the Republican machine was victorious by only five majority, although they had a majority of forty-five in the House. On that vote there was absent six Democrats and five Republicans. Among the absentees four Democrats were paired with four Republicans leaving two Democrats and one Republican absent without pairs. If the two Democrats absent without pairs had been present and had voted with us, we would have been defeated by three votes. Had the one Democrat who voted with the Republicans also voted with us, we would still have been defeated by one vote. On that vote to recommit the conference report, the Democrats voted more solidly than they ever voted on any tariff question since the close of the Civil war, while the Republicans were worse split up.

"On the vote on the adoption of the conference report, the House machine won by twelve majority only. There were absent six Democrats and four Republicans. As on the motion to recommit four Democrats were paired with four Republicans, and two Democrats were absent without pairs and two Democrats voted with the Republicans. If the two unpaired Democrats had been present and voted with us, the machine majority would have been reduced to ten and if the two Democrats who voted with the Republicans has also voted with us, the machine majority would have been reduced to six. That was a close call for the machine, but nothing could have been done to have turned their hardly won victory into a defeat.

"The reason that Mr. Chairman Payne moved to recommit was that he fooled himself into the belief that we were going to offer a motion to recommit with instructions and he wanted to head that off and by an agreement with the Speaker undertook to do so; but we had no idea of moving to recommit with instructions, because the situation absolutely forbade it, for the Republicans who voted with us in favor of the Payne motion to simply recommit would have voted with the Republicans machinists against our motion to recommit with instructions—which instructions would have been Democratic propositions. Of course, Mr. Payne voted against his motion to recommit.

"The full Democratic attendance was largely due to the fidelity, vigilance and industry of the Democratic whip, Hon. Thomas M. Bell, and to his two assistants, Hon. John N. Garner and Hon. William Hughes. They did all that mortal men could to have every Democrat present.

"Many newspapers are trying to make it appear that the Payne-AldrichSmoot bill is a revision downward. That is absolutely untrue. The average rates of the Payne-Aldrich-Smoot bill is about 2 per cent. higher than the average rate of the Dingley bill. When the maximum goes into effect March 31, 1910, the average rate will be about 27 per cent higher than the average of the Dingley bill."

Bargains in gents' furnishings at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

Shirt waist sale at Rehder's today, $1.50 values at 98 cents. **

All pants are sold at reduced prices at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

AWAIT THAW'S FATE

Hearing to Determine His Sanity Will be Concluded Today.

MRS. THAW ASSAILS JEROME

Prisoner's Mother Was Chief Witness of Day Yesterday—Justice Mills Will Deliver Decision Thursday—Arguments.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Harry K. Thaw's latest struggle to regain his freedom will end tomorrow. The submission of testimony in his hearing before Justice Isaac N. Mills closed this afternoon and all that remains is the final arguments of the attorneys. Justice Mills will file his decision with the county clerk on the morning of Thursday, Aug. 12th.

Several possibilities confront Thaw. The court may grant his plea and make him absolutely free. It may decide that he has not established his sanity and refuse to interfere, in which case the State authorities will probably send him back to the Matteawan hospital for the criminal insane. But Justice Mills has further discretionary powers. He may feel that the young man's mental condition is still in doubt and for that reason delay a final order, meanwhile paroling Thaw in the custody of some officer or possibly on his own recognizance in the care of his family. Or he may declare that Thaw is insane, but moved by his mother's complaint regarding his surroundings at Matteawan, send him to some other State hospital not peopled by criminals.

Thaw left the court room this afternoon with jaunty step. The strain of the past four weeks, during which he has submitted personally to 14 hours of cross examination was not apparent either in his face or bearing. At no time during the proceedings has he expressed anything but satisfaction with the results and confidence in the success of his cause.

The evidence presented in behalf of Thaw closed today with a dramatic outburst by his mother, Mrs. Mary Copeley Thaw, the final witness. Her last words were a denunciation of District Attorney Jerome. Earlier in the day she had read a list of names distinguished in New York society. They were guests, she said, at a dinner she gave in New York which Harry attended before his marriage. In concluding her testimony she referred to this list of names.

"I brought in the names of those who attended that dinner to my son," she said, "because of the statements of Mr. Jerome regarding the company Harry was accustomed to keep. I do not have any special enmity toward Mr. Jerome but he certainly has not behaved in this matter in a gentlemanly nor in a Christian way. He always talked about Harry being a frequenter of the tenderloin which he knew, as well as anyone, my boy never went to the tenderloin until he met a certain person who roped him down."

"That," said Attorney Morschauser, "ends our case."

The principal new witness today was Roger O'Mara, formerly chief of police in Pittsburg, who testified in corroboration of the stories about Stanford White.

The greater part of the day was devoted to a re-examination of Thaw's alienists. They stuck to the assertion that whatever Thaw's mental condition might have been when he shot Stanford White, he was now sane.

Jerome will sum up first tomorrow morning and Mr. Morschauser will follow.

Both say their speeches will be brief and the case may be in Justice Mills' hands by noon.

NEW JAIL FOR COLUMBUS

Contract Awarded by Commissioners in Session Monday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Aug. 6.—The Columbus County Commissioners in session here Monday let the contract for the county jail to Johnson & Mathews, of Florence, S. C., whose bid was $11,500. There were several other bidders for the work, some bidding for the whole work and others in part. The building is to be constructed according to plans and specifications prepared by Architect J. F. Leitner, of Wilmington.

THE WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Sentiment Has Become Bearish or Mixed—Influences on Market During the Week—Year of Suly Operations.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—Cotton prices, after running up to 12.65 for January on the worst August government report on record, have latterly slumped under heavy long liquidation and bear pounding. Prices were two to three cents higher than they were a year ago and nearly four cents higher than last Fall, and some prominent people have been acting on the assumption that such an advance discounts everything bullish in the situation. Also they lay stress on the fact that Europe is having a poor trade. That Liverpool has a big stock and that a good deal of American cotton, something like 1,500,000 bales, will be carried over into the next season. The more radical bears point to the fact that even when Texas has had a partial failure in the past the crop, as in the case of 1904-05, has reached some 13,500,000 bales. Spinners buy with evident reluctance or not at all. They seem disposed to await the movement of the new crop which will soon begin.

Of course, the bulls have suffered a loss of prestige. On the advance from 8 1-2c last Fall to nearly the 13 cent mark, the bull side was popular, but a slump of 120 points was like a cold douche down the back of many a weak bull. A good many of them were wiped out. And it is supposed that it will take some time to bring in another big public following even should prices show an unmistakable upward tendency. In Liverpool it is insisted that the government condition of 71.9 per cent. is too low. Bears here and abroad think that the South will be glad to sell cotton at 12 cents or below; even at 11 cents or 10 cents, and they have sold the market with vigor. On the other hand, large spot interests have bought, and well known people in Chicago, New Orleans and Memphis have also been buyers on the breaks. They think a rally is due after a drop of about 60 points. They think that too little attention is paid to the bad conditions day after day in Texas where maximum temperatures have been 100 to 106 degrees. They also call attention to the torrid heat in Oklahoma. Bears themselves concede that conditions are bad in Texas but they maintain that elsewhere the outlook is sufficiently favorable to offset these adverse factors. Trade is improving but only slowly.

On the whole sentiment here has become bearish or else "mixed". Certainly there is less aggressiveness in buying for a rise, and powerful interests, once the bull leaders, have thrown their weight to the bear side. The immediate course of prices will turn, it is believed, largely upon the weather in Texas, the volume of new cotton coming into the market during August and September and the attitude of the spinners.

THE PRESIDENT'S ITINERARY

Will be in Wilmington November 9th. Tour Will Embrace 13,000 Miles. Shake Hands With Mexican Executive.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Aug. 6.——Off for his Summer home at Beverly, Mass., President Taft left Washington at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. He occupied the private car "Olympia" attached to the regular Federal Express over the Pennsylvania and New York, New Hampshire and Hartford Railroads. He will not return to Washington until the middle of November next.

Remaining at Beverly with his family until September 15, he will start West that day on a tour that will embrace all but eight or ten of the States of the Union and both of the territories in the far southwest.

Scores of Senators, Representatives and Government officials called at the White House today to say a brief word of goodbye to the President. So great was the crush that the usual Friday Cabinet meeting was delayed more than an hour. Various members of the Cabinet will visit Beverly during the Summer.

The President also expects to have several of the Cabinet officers with him at different times during his long journey through the West and South. Secretary of War Dickinson, for instance, probably will be with the President during practically all of the Southern end of the tour.

The President was accompanied to Beverly by Secretary Fred W. Carpenter, Assistant Secretary Rudolph Forster, and Captain Archibald, his military aide. Edward W. Smithers, chief of the White House telegraph service, and a force of executive office clerks, also will be taken to Beverly.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Before his departure, the President made public a tentative outline of his trip through the West and South this Fall. It will be a wide swing around pracically the entire United States, embracing a journey approximating 13,000 miles—as long as the cruise of the battleship fleet from Hampton Roads, through the Straits of Magellan to San Francisco Bay. The trip will be one of the most notable ever made by a

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KILTIES SPLIT EVEN

Wilmington Won First and Fayetteville Took Second in Six Innings.

ASHTON WAS BUMPED HARD

Wilson Lost to Raleigh and Goldsboro and Rocky Mount Divided a Doubleheader—Raleigh Again Takes the Lead.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 1, Fayetteville 0.
2nd: Wilmington 0, Fayetteville 4.
Goldsboro 1, Rocky Mount 0.
2nd: Goldsboro 2, Rocky Mount 3
Wilson 0, Raleigh 1.

Where They Play Today.

Goldsboro at Rocky Mount.
Fayetteville at Wilmington.
Raleigh at Wilson.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Raleigh	37	31	.544
Wilson	35	30	.538
Wilmington	37	32	.536
Goldsboro	34	31	.523
Fayetteville	28	37	.531
Rocky Mount	28	38	.424

"Sexton! peal the news aloud,
That one and all may hear
How 'twas the browny Kilties fell
Before your mighty 'Sphere'."
—Sailors' Chanty.

The highlanders and lowlanders split even on the doubleheader here yesterday, the Sailors winning the first game one to nothing, and the Kilties the second by a score of four to naught in six innings, after which the game was called on account of darkness. In the first game Sexton was master of the situation from start to finish and in the second Hallman had the locals none the less at his mercy while Ashton was bumped hard, four hits following a passed ball in the fourth having netted three runs. Sexton let the visitors down with two hits in the first game, struck out ten men and issued no free transportation. Ashton's game cost him his uniform, Manager Gwaltney having announced last night that he had been given his release and that Wysong would be given a trial. He has developed wonderfully since he was given his release some time ago and his friends are confident "Wy" will make good on this round.

In the first game yesterday Dobson singled in the first inning with one man down but was immediately nailed by Kite trying to steal second, while no other hits came Fayetteville way except a swat to centre for two bases by Watters in the third after O'Neill and Galvin had fanned, the side retiring when Clemens flew to Kite. For Wilmington in the first, Nichols drew a pass and was sacrificed by Guerrant, but Lohr lined out to centre and Nichols was out trying third. Sexton fanned the first two who faced him in the second and Haidt was out at first, while for Wilmington after Brodie had popped to short and Lenox had fanned, Sharp walked and Jayes singled over short, but Kite was out pitcher to first.

In the fourth Dobson, first up, was safe on Nichols' error, but the next three Highlanders were out one, two, three. On Dobson's protest of being called out attempting to steal second, the player was put out of the game for kicking and daring to assault Umpire Johnston. Sharp got a single in the fourth after Brodie was out from the infield and Lenox had fanned but was caught trying second.

In the fifth and sixth there was nothing doing for either team, the Sailors putting their only man over in the seventh. After Lenox flew to left, Sharp clouted one to left centre for two stations and stole third; Jayes then hit to third and was called out at first on punke decision, but in the meantime Sharp had scored, Kite ending the agony by fanning. The eighth and ninth had nothing for either side.

Fayetteville.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Clemens, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Dobson, 1b	2	0	1	5	0	0
Ogara, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McKernan, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Meaney, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Schumaker, cf & 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Haidt, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	0
O'Neill, ss	3	0	0	4	2	0
Galvin, c	3	0	0	7	4	0
Watters, p	3	0	1	0	5	0
Totals	28	0	2	24	13	0

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Nichols, 1b	2	0	0	5	2	1
Guerrant, 3b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Lohr, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Brodie, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Lenox, 2b	3	0	0	3	0	0
Sharp, ss	2	1	2	1	1	0
Jayes, lf	2	0	2	0	0	0
Kite, c	3	0	0	12	2	0
Sexton, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	22	1	4	27	8	1

Score by Innings.

Fayetteville ....000 000 000—0 2 0
Wilmington ....000 000 10x—1 4 1

Summary—Two base hits Watters, Sharp; sacrifice hits, Guerrant, Lohr and Jayes; stolen base, Sharp; bases on balls, off Watters 4; struck out, by Watters 7, Sexton 10; time 1:45; umpire Johnston.

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SHIPMENTS OF TRUCK, FRUIT AND MELONS.

The strawberry growers, the truck producers, and the melon growers appear to be in the same boat when it comes to marketing their crop with satisfaction. After they raise their crops the next thing is quick and safe transportation to market and reasonable returns on their sales. That there is something wrong in the transportation facilities or in the plan of disposing of the crops in the markets, is shown by the following, written by Editor Wade H. Harris, of the Charlotte Evening Chronicle, who recently paid a visit to the melon growing region along the Seaboard Air Line:

"The people about Laurinburg are complaining of poor returns for their cantaloupe crop. Editor Peele, of the Exchange, who was burned brown as an Indian through daily attention to his cantaloupe patch, claims to have received seven 2-cent stamps as his profit on one shipment that he made. The trouble with these cantaloupe growers is, perhaps, that they deliver their crop to commission merchants and are thus obliged to take what the commission men think they should have. It is very easy to claim an overstocked market, fruit received in damaged condition, or other excuses, and the loss, or supposed loss, must be borne by the shipper. He has no redress. It is idle to suppose that the cantaloupe crop of the North Carolina fields could produce a glut in the Northern markets. The 'overstocked market' is simply a stock phrase. These cantaloupes growers should sell for cash. The commission men might attempt to bluff, but would soon give in. If they have not the courage to adopt a 'no cash, no 'lope' policy, then they could send a couple of agents to New York, who would receive the consignments and look after the sale and distribution. The cantaloupe growers should adopt one or the other of these plans, or quit growing a profitless crop—made profitless on account of a slack selling system."

The receipt of a stamp or two for a shipment of berries or produce is nothing new for the trucking people around Wilmington. In many cases no doubt they make shipments to dishonest or bogus commission houses. In others, the products, for lack of proper refrigeration or care in transit, reach the markets in bad shape or in an utterly worthless condition. In the first instance, the dishonest houses must be eliminated; in the second, the trouble should be remedied.

To a large extent, the Eastern Carolina truckers have secured better results by organization. Their East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers Association has accomplished good results both in the way of distributing the crops to the markets, in securing transportation and in eliminating the swindlers. That organization deserves more hearty support and we have no doubt that it will accomplish even better results as experience comes to it. Such an organization among the Georgia peach growers has done a good work this season, and the melon growers of North Carolina must eventually fall into line and have their organization. Probably they can co-operate with our truck growers in their organization.

The truck, fruit and melon industry of North Carolina has developed into too important an industry not to be fostered in every way by all the interests concerned.

AMERICA'S PRESIDENT.

The Associated Press dispatches tell us in the last day or two that the latest trouble on account of the uprising of the people has occurred in Sweden. It comes from a quarter the least expected, and it is said the discontent is of such a formidable nature as to threaten the throne.

Thrones in the Old World are crumbling and really there seems to be not as much stability of government under the monarchical and absolute dynasties as under the Democratic-Republican systems of the two Americas. When the people in Turkey got ready they brushed away the alleged divine right of kings to rule and compelled their autocratic Sultan to abdicate. They put another in his place. The Persians followed suit. The Portugese and Spanish thrones appear to be existing by sufferance or military power alone, while a few years ago it appeared that the Russian autocracy was doomed. In Russia, Turkey, Persia and China the people have been appeased by constitutional forms of government in which the people become a part.

The Emperors, the Kings, the Sultans and the Shahs are more or lest figureheads and as long as they satisfy the people they will be tolerated, but the time may come when the people will decide to remove these figureheads, as the Navy Department of the United States has decided to remove the "figureheads" of our warships.

If the armies of the monarchies become disloyal the jig is up with the crownheads. After all, it seems that no government can exist anywhere without the consent of the governed. The masses in all parts of the world are asserting their rights, and the rulers who do not heed the voice of the people will see their finish.

Contrast the flunkeyism of the courts of Europe with the simplicity and manliness of the great American Democracy. In Washington on Thursday behold President Taft at the Nation's Capitol mingling with the People's representatives, familiarly greeting Senators as "Old Pineapple," "Old High Tariff," etc. Here we have the Democratic-Republican idea illustrated in its simplicity by a man who comes from the People, who was exalted by the people, and who is not above the people. The man Taft who was laughing and chatting and jollying with the people, or their representatives, is ruler over the greatest of all the world's governments, and it requires no army, no hedging about with bayonets, to keep him at the head of the American Union—the Union of the people.

The people of the United States are divided only by certain differences as to the policy of conducting their affairs, while agreeing fully on the general principles upon which their government—the Government of the People—is founded. The political parties represent these policies and when those policies are out of consideration, they stand as one—Americans all. Their President goes into the White House at the head of a party. When he is inaugurated he becomes the President of the People. Democrats and Republicans want to get familiar with him in the respect that they want to honor the Chief Magistrate of their Government. They want him to visit them, touch their honest hands, get next to their hearts, and do a little spell-binding. If there is anything that an American likes it is to hear somebody make a speech, and if it is their President who is to do the talking it suits them all the better.

The American people want to honor their President, they want to get in touch with him, hence they inivte him among them. It is the instinctive spirit within the people to show their respect to the Presidency and honor the man whom they have domiciled at the White House.

For that reason the people of Wilmington have invited President Taft to come into their midst that they may both honor the Chief Magistracy, the Chief Magistrate, and the Man Taft, the popular head of the People's Government.

Mr. Taft will visit Wilmington November 9th, and soon our citizens will begin to prepare for a welcome that will illustrate the fine hospitality of Eastern North Carolina.

INDUSTRIAL RALEIGH.

The Raleigh Evening Times, one of the neatest and best of North Carolina's afternoon papers, issued an industrial edition on Thursday evening. It embrazed 32 pages and was handsomely illustrated, the paper making a most admirable exhibit of its own enterprise and of Raleigh's industrial condition and prospects. The matter consisted of attractive and ably written articles that contain a valuable fund of information about the State capital and exploit the wonderful industrial spirit that now prevails among her business men.

Raleigh should be proud of the Evening Times, for it is a credit to the State capital, and certainly the industrial edition should meet with the high appreciation that it merits in a large degree.

"A Chicago girl climbed to the top of Mount Blanc and is proud of her feat," remarks a Chicago contemporary. However, we have never yet heard of a Chicago girl who was proud of her feet. P. S.—It is hardly necessary to state that Congress has adjourned, and, therefore, it is permissible to revive this Chicago Chestnut.

A New York man's wife is suing him for divorce because he hasn't spoken to in four years. His defense may be that talk from him might have brought on lots more talk from her, or that she talked so continuously during the four years that he couldn't get in a word edgeways.

An exchange remarks in a philosophical way: "Don't laugh too heartily at the college graduate. You may be working for him this time next year." That's no joke. He may have learned some way to keep from working for himself.

"We demand a reduction of the tariff downward" said a Republican contemporary while the tariff bill was under discussion. As demands didn't get much, vote right in the next National election.

A poet says "death is a dream, it is only a dream." If we could all believe that, death would cease to be a nightmare.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson seems to be doing his best to convince the country that the Taft administration is responsible for the big corn crop.—Savannah Morning News.

—Our Southern seaports are coming along. The Clinchfield coal fields are now connected with Wilmington. And inside of two years will be dumping coal at Charleston. This new traffic will mean an amazing development of these ports—Charlotte Chronicle.

—The News and Observer has autority to state that there is no foundation for the publication recently made in the United States Investor that Mr. Harriman had offered Mr. H. Walters fifty million dollars for his stock in the Atlantic Coast Line. Mr. Harriman has made no such offer directly or indirectly, or any like offer.—Raleigh News and Observer.

—Wilbur Wright told something of the plans he and his brother have for the sale of their aeroplane in this country. They first intend to train several men how to handle the machines. Only those who have mastered the art of flying them will demonstrate the machine in various parts of the country. The Wright's purpose to sell the craft for $7,500 to individuals. They declare they will not under any circumstances engage in exhibitions and have not decided about the use of the machine by others for purely exhibition purposes.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—A few days ago The Chronicle printed some information on the authority of the United States Geological Survey as to the highest points in the different States. Of course, Mount Mitchell was put down as the highest point in North Carolina—it is understood to be the highest east of the Rockies—but this information is controverted by a citizen of Charlotte. Mount Mitchell's elevation is recorded as 6,771 feet. The citizen who would rob Mount Mitchell of its long-standing honors, says that there is a peak in North Carolina called Standing Indian, which is 300 feet higher than Mount Mitchell, as ascertained by a recent survey. The Chronicle heard this claim made some time in the past. There ought to be some authority in the State able to settle the controversy. Perhaps Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, of the State Geological Survey, could give the desired information. And while he is at it, he might locate Standing Indian for us. We cannot find it on the map even with the aid of specs.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Did anyone ever hear of mint julips in Hades?"—Charleston News and Courier.

—Belle—I wish the Lord had made me a man. Nellie—Perhaps he has, only you haven't found him yet.—Cleveland Leader.

—Spinster—"Aren't you weary of waiting for him to come?" Matron—"And aren't you weary of having no one to wait for?"—Illustrated Bits.

—"Do you think you can manage with my salary of $12 a week darling?" he asked, after she had said yes. "I'll try, Jack," replied she; "but what will you do?"—Universalist Leader.

—"Who gave the bride away?" "Her little brother. He stood up right in the middle of the ceremony and yelled, 'Hurrah, Fanny, you've got him at last!'"—Western Christain Advocate.

—Uncle—"You are a very nice little girl to ask me to have more soup. Now why do you want me to have it?" Niece—"So you won't eat so much of the chicken as you did last time.—Fliegende Blaeter.

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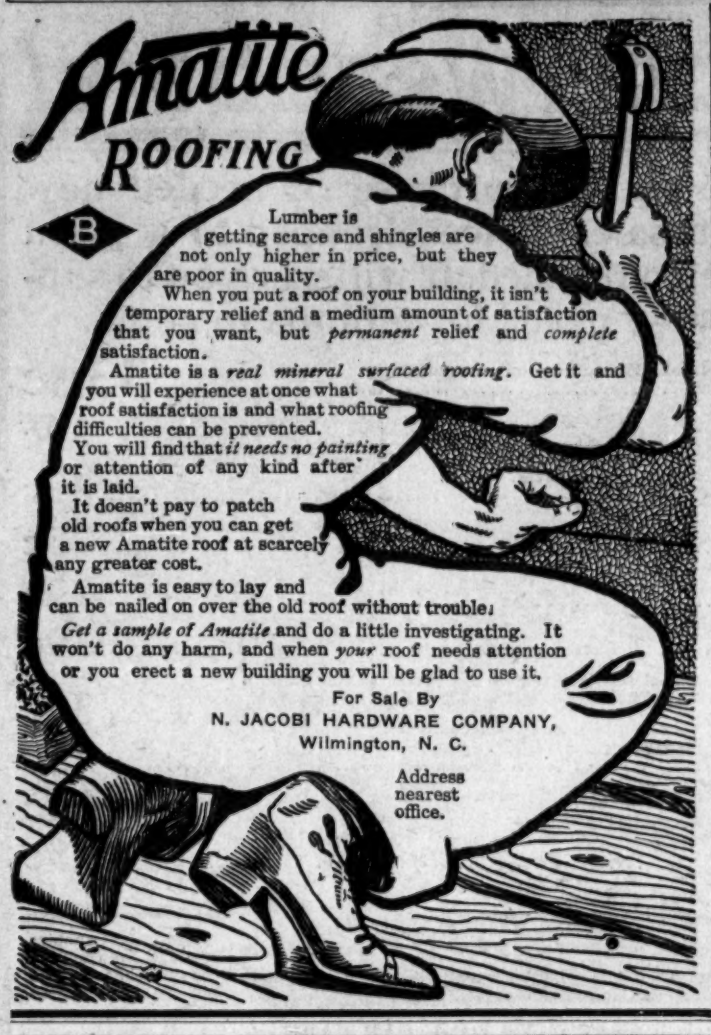

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HERCULES' WARNING.

By F. A. MITCHEL.

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In a garden behind one of the principal dwellings of the ancient city of Herculaneum sat a youth and a maiden. Beside the girl, its base resting on the marble seat, stood a harp, the strings of which she now and again struck plaintively. Above them to the east towered the cone of the Vesuvian volcano, to the west reposed the pale blue waters of the Mediterranean, while to the south were visible the tiled roofs of the temples of the neighboring city of Pompeii.

"Heraclea," said the youth gloomily, "this intention of your father to make you a priestess in this religion of the Egyptians will surely bring down upon him the wrath of the true gods. Yet it may be that you and I shall go free to wed in a foreign land."

"Have you consulted the oracles, Gavius?"

"No; but Hercules, from whom your city was named and whose name your father gave to you, last night appeared to me in a dream and told me this."

"Oh, Gavius, be not deceived! There is no hope. Tomorrow, as surely as Jove dwells on Olympus, I must go to Pompeii to be initiated in the mysteries in the temple of Isis there. My father, like many others, is infatuated with the worship of this foreign goddess, and though I have wept and pleaded with him he will not forego his intent."

"Trouble will surely come from this slight to the true gods. The senate at Rome has forbidden it."

"Nevertheless there stands the temple at Pompeii on the slope near the ampitheater. You may see its roof."

Meanwhile the young man was regarding the summit of Vesuvius, which was emitting fitful puffs of smoke.

"I have not for several days," he said, "liked the looks of the mountain. I fear the earthquake. Do you know, Heraclea, I have a feeling—perhaps it has been planted within me by the immortal gods—that in some way the volcano is connected with our fate—that rather than see you a priestess of a false goddess Hercules will emerge from the crater, descend upon her temple and destroy it."

"And us, too, perhaps," replied the girl, giving a frightened look up at the cone, which at that moment uttered an ominous growl.

"Enough of these melancholy words, dear heart. With our approaching eternal separation and the volcano muttering above us I am plunged in gloom. Sing the song I love so well, that old air brought by your ancestors from the isles of Greece. It may be the last time I shall hear it."

The girl commenced to sing in a low, plaintive tone, accompanying herself on her harp. The air, though monotonous, was sweet, rising and falling at intervals. The words were a recital of their grief at their coming separation. The song served to deepen their gloom. When it ceased Gavius clasped Heraclea in his arms, and they wept silently. Then after an impassioned farewell they separated.

The next day, as Heraclea, under the guardianship of her family, was leaving for the temple of Isis, Vesuvius gave a shudder, then sent up that column from the bowels of the earth which destroyed the cities at its base. Gavius, maddened at the prospect of losing his love, collected a number of his friends who were opposed to the worship of the Egyptian goddess—among them priests from the temple of Jupiter—and, sallying from his house, on the main street crossing Pompeii north and south, turned into the one leading to the Herculanean gate. There, supported by his band, he stood ready for a desperate attempt to rescue Heraclea on her entrance into the city.

But Heraclea did not come. At the hour appointed for her initiation both Herculaneum and Pompeii were being covered by showers of ashes and earth rained down from Vesuvius, while the mountain roared and the earth quaked.

Gavius started to Herculaneum to die with his love, but in the darkness lost his way. Fainting, he lay stupefied by gases from the volcano, but was taken up by one of his slaves and carried to the sea. Later when all was again serene he went and stood on the crust above the buried Herculaneum. There wandering, he was regarded by those who were trying to dig their way down to where they might recover treasures as having lost his mind through the terrors attending the late eruption. When night came they left him there and found him there again in the morning. The only words he was heard to say were:

"O Hercules, direct me!"

On the evening of the second day after the eruption as the twilight deepened Gavius was still wandering above the buried Herculaneum. The sea, the mountain, the ground on which he stood, were still. A stream had flowed on either side of the site of the town. Wandering aimlessly toward one of these streams, out of the silence there came to him a sound. Gavius listened and heard the plaintive strains of harp strings. Then came a human voice singing. He knew the song Heraclea sang at their parting.

Guided by the sound, he went down near the bank of the stream. Coming to a small aperture, he widened it, digging his way into a stone hut. There he found Heraclea. She had been taken there by a peasant, who had left her to go for succor and had not returned. The hut had been covered by a stream of mud from the volcano.

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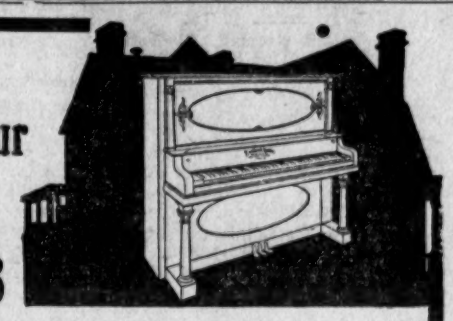

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The Morning Star.

Saturday August 7, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 7, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, Aug. 6th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 71 degrees; 8 P. M. 76 degrees; maximum 86 degrees; minimum 71 degrees; mean 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .12; for the month, .60 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Friday, 38 feet and freshet rapidly subsiding.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Saturday and probably Sunday; moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—August 7.

Sun Rises.....5:11 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:00 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 59 min.
High water at Southport 12:27 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 3:27 P. M.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss Loula Hall Briggs, of Raleigh, is a guest at the Northrop Cottage, Wrightsville.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Miss L. Mae Jackson and her guest, Miss Esther Auman, returned today from Wrightsville Beach."

—Miss Inez Crump returned yesterday to her home in Wadesboro after a few days visit to Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman left yesterday afternoon for Sylvania and Savannah, Ga., where they will visit relatives and friends.

—The Columbia Record, Thursday: "Misses Gertrude Walker and Bessie Bouknight are among the Columbia visitors at Wrightsville Beach."

—Mr. P. T. Wilson, of Norfolk, Va., is in the city an a visit to his father, Mr. J. W. Wilson, and is being pleasantly greeted by his friends here.

—Mr. Empie Wood, formerly of this city but who is now traveling for a Boston house, is in the city for a short time and is being pleasantly greeted by his many friends here.

—Rev. and Mrs. Geo. S. Bearden and daughter returned early yesterday morning from a visit to relatives at Lexington, Columbia, Spartanburg and other points in South Carolina.

—Mr. Adolph Goodman, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever, is able to sit up some and hopes to be out again in about a week, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

—Mr. Robert W. Vick, agent for the Seaboard at Blaney, S. C., is spending several days in the city and at the Beach on his return from Coney Island, Atlantic City and Washington, on his vacation.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were: Henry Latta, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Strange and son, Fayetteville; P. E. Currier, Tarboro; Dr. R. H. Bradshaw, Burgaw; Robert W. Vick, Council; R. S. McClamroch, Greensboro; H. L. Lyon, Whiteville; W. D. James, Laurinburg; Jackson Greer, Whiteville.

WANTED IN HERTFORD.

Young Man Arrested Here for Disturbing Religious Worship.

Deputy Sheriffs Branch and Howe yesterday afternoon arrested W. H. Thomas, a young white man, on a warrant sent here from Sheriff A. E. Garrett, of Hertford county, charging him with disturbing religious worship at Brantley's Grove church, near Ashoskie, on June 20th. The arrest was made at the Coast Line depot where the young man was employed. In default of $200 bond he was lodged in jail and Sheriff Garrett notified of the arrest.

The warrant was sworn out by G. T. Hoggard before Justice of the Peace J. R. Garrett, of Ahoskie, Hertford county. Thomas admits having some trouble at the church with another person, but says that he did not know that he had disturbed the services. He will be held awaiting instructions from the Hertford officer.

In Honor of Miss Banck.

The following is from the Weldon correspondence of The Raleigh Evening Times of Friday: "Misses Norma Banck, of Wilmington; Arlent Joyner, Hilda Critches, Myrtle Warren, Rubelle Forbes and Mavis Evans, of Greenville, w' o have been the guests of Captain and Mrs. J. S. Barr for the past week have returned to their homes much to the regret of all who had the pleasure of meeting them during their long stay in Weldon. While here they were shown a number of social courtesies, one of the most delightful being a picnic at Ponton Place given by a number of young men. The brunswick stew and barbecue was greatly enjoyed and there were many interesting events added to the natural delights of the place to make the outing an ideal one."

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The British steamer Gladestry, Capt. Jackson, cleared light yesterday for New York to receive cargo for foreign markets. The vessel is by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

—The tug Cecelia, towing Standard Oil barge No. 92 arrived in port yesterday from Charleston, S. C., and was brought up to its wharf from the bar by the tug Sea King.

—At Grace Methodist Church tomorrow the services at 11 A. M. will be conducted by Rev. Thos. M. Grant, and at 8 P. M. by Rev. W. L. Cuninggim.

—The Pender Chronicle of the 5th says: "The A. C. L. will run an excursion to Wilmington next Tuesday. Knight's excursions are highly popular and are patronized by the best people everywhere."

—Rev. W. L. Cuninggim will preach at the Methodist Church on Wrightsville Sound tomorrow at 11 A. M. On Tuesday at 11 A. M. at this same church the Quarterly Conference of the Scott's Hill Circuit will be held.

—The case against Hartsfield Crandall, charged with selling whiskey to Lee Justice, remanded from the Superior court, will come up again in the Recorder's court August 11th. Crandall is now serving a term of 30 days on the county roads for a simple assault upon Lee Justice.

—The garment department of the Willard Bag and Manufacturing Company resumed operations a few days ago after a suspension of several months, which is an indication of the return of prosperous times. This department gives employment to between 75 and 100 young women.

—The Yoke Fellows, of the Y. M. C. A., will hold services Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the County Home and on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock will conduct an open air service at Trinity Methodist church. Secretary Edwin Kettle, of the Association, will preach at the latter church Sunday evening.

—The cases against Senator Brooks G. Empie and E. L. Larkins, Esq., of Burgaw, who came near engaging in a personal encounter in Justice Harriss' office Thursday afternoon, which were to have been heard yesterday, were continued until 10 o'clock this morning. They will likely submit and pay the costs in the cases.

—Hazel Anderson and Bessie Bohn, denizens of the under world, were before Justice Bornemann yesterday on peace warrants. The women had a falling out and went to the justice and secured peace warrants, one against the other. The Bohn woman was represented by Hon. John D. Bellamy. The justice dismissed the cases at the cost of the prosecutors.

—Mr. C. W. Hollowbush will be in charge of the orchestra at the Academy of Music again this season and it will be known as the Hollowbush Orchestra. Mr. George Johnson, a well known musician of this city, will be the leader. Mr. Hollowbush has secured the services of two well known Virginia orchestra men, and other able musicians will join the company.

—In the civil action entitled T. F. Johnson against Theo. G. Empie and the Diamond Steamboat and Wrecking Company, heard Thursday afternoon, Justice Harriss yesterday morning announced his decision with reference to the defendant Empie, the case against the steamboat company having been dismissed the day before. The action was also dismissed against Mr. Empie. The justice held that as the contract stipulated that the piling was to be inspected before payment the suit was a little premature, he inspection not having bee made.

Proposals For Deep Wells.

Elsewhere in today's paper Chairman Jos. H. Hinton, of the Water and Sewerage Committee of the Board of Aldermen, calls for bids for sinking four deep wells in different parts of the city as recently authorized by the Board of Aldermen and approved by the Board of Audit and Finance. Inasmuch as the Water and Sewerage Commission is pledged soon to furnish Wilmington with a complete waterworks system furnishing an abundant supply of good water, both for drinking and domestic purposes, many people are commenting upon this appropriation by the two Boards as an unnecessary expenditure of money, but there can be no doubt that the wells will serve a splendid purpose until the waterworks system is installed.

Superintendents' Meeting.

Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of public instruction, expects to attend the annual meeting of the County Superintendents' Association of North Carolina in Hendersonville August 31st to September 3rd. The meeting will be largely attended as the law provides that all superintendents shall be present unless providentially hindered, and the State superintendent has announced that he will take no other excuse. A number of important questions will be discussed at the meeting and larger things in the way of educational development will be planned.

To State Prison With Barge.

Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox leaves on the 3 o'clock Seaboard train this morning for Raleigh with Ben Barge, Jr., colored, who goes to the State penitentiary to serve a sentence of 30 years for the murder of John Phifer, colored, in this city last Fall. Sheriff Cowan has not yet been notified when the penitentiary authorities can admit John Doe, alias Joe, to the criminal insane department of the institution.

Death of Their Son.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Herring will sympathize with them in the death of their son, Chas. T. Herring, which occurred at 12:10 o'clock this morning at the family home on Market, between Front and Second streets. The remains will be taken to the former family home in Magnolia at 9 A. M. on Sunday morning.

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It perfects digestion, calms and strengthens the nerves and builds up the general health.

R W. YOUNG WAS ACQUITTED

Discrepancy in the Testimony of the Prosecuting Witness, Who Admitted He Did Not Tell Truth at First Trial.

The second trial of Rowland W. Young, a near-beer dealer, for selling whiskey to E. D. Ward, a young white man from the county, which took place before Recorder Furlong in the Court House yesterday morning, resulted in the defendant's acquittal of the charge, owing to the discrepancy in Ward's testimony and the contradictory testimony given by the other witnesses in the case.

It will be recalled that a few weeks ago the defendant was tried before the Recorder on the charge of selling a half pint of whiskey to E. D. Ward, the principal witness, on June 19th. He was found guilty and sentenced to a term of six months on the county roads. An appeal to the Superior court was taken. The case came up in the Superior court, but on account of a defect in the warrant was remanded back to the Recorder for a second hearing, which took place yesterday as noted. The testimony as given yesterday was such that no jury would have found the defendant guilty. The Recorder realized that it would be useless to send the case back to Superior court with the two statements of the main witnesses at such variance.

The case for the defendant was conducted by Walter P. Gafford, Esq., whose efforts in behalf of his client had much to do with the developments. Marsden Bellamy, Jr., prosecuted and he did his level best to make out a case against Young, but when Ward swore that he had stated some things in the former trial that were not true the attorney realized that the chances of conviction were very slim.

The first witness was E. D. Ward, upon whose testimony the defendant was to be convicted or acquitted. He stated that he bought whiskey from the defendant on the 15th and 19th of June. The warrant, however, alleged sale only on the 19th. Ward stated at the first trial that his brother, Neal Ward, was with him when the whiskey was purchased, and in his testimony yesterday he declared that his father, M. V. Ward, and Luther Clemmons were with him. At this juncture he was asked by Mr. Gafford if he had sworn to the truth at the first trial. After some hesitation he replied that he did not. Ward said that he would not have appeared against the fellow if he had not been promised $5. Ward testified that Patrolman M. C. Huggins promised to see that he got $5 after the conviction of the defendant. The officer testified that on the 15th Ward came to him with a quart of whiskey which he said he had purchased from Young. Mr. Huggins asked Ward if he had any other witnesses and he said that he did not. The officer then told him that if he would buy some whiskey from the defendant and get other witnesses to testify to the fact he would recommend that he be paid $5 from the fund set aside by the city for the running down of "blind tigers." On the 19th Ward came to him and handed him a half pint of whiskey which he said he purchased from Young in the presence of his brother, Neal Ward. The officer kept the whiskey and it was exhibited in court.

The defendant testified in his own behalf and denied that he had sold any whiskey since the prohibition law went into effect. He stated further that his place of business was closed at night before the time Ward said he made the purchase. He admitted that he was tried before the Recorder some time ago and fined $50 and the costs. He paid the amount, he said, because he had sickness in his family and did not desire to be troubled further with the matter. L. F. Huggins, who works for Young, testified that the business had been closed before 8 P. M. since he began to work there the first of June. Mr. R. E. Blake, who is engaged in the hardware business across the street from Young, testified that Young's store is closed before dark nearly every afternoon.

The next witness was M. V. Ward, father of E. D. Ward, who swore that he saw his son buy a pint of whiskey from Young on the 19th, but that he, Clemmons and his son drank nearly all of it in the rear of Young's store. According to his statement the whiskey given to Mr. Huggins by E. D. Ward and exhibited in court yesterday could not have been the same that was purchased at the time the witness told about. In reply to a question from Mr. Gafford the witness said that he did not remember telling Mr. Young some days ago that he wanted some money and if he didn't get it the case pending would go hard with him. He would not say, however, that he did not make mention of the pending case.

Luther Clemmons said that a few weeks ago—he didn't remember the date—he drank some whiskey with Ward and this came from a pint bottle in the rear of Young's store. Neal Ward testified that he was not in the city on the 19th of June. His brother had testified at the former trial that Neal was with him when the purchase was made.

There was considerable comment on the outcome of the case in police circles yesterday. There was also some comment indulged in by others. There are a few who hold to the opinion that Ward is guilty of perjury. Others take the view that he is only a poor, ignorant sort of a country boy and that the discrepancy in his testimony would not be perjury according to the meaning of the law.

William G. Adams, a white boy about 14 years old, was sent to the county farm for 30 days. He was charged with throwing rocks in the streets. The boy is an orphan and while he is said to have a good home it is utterly impossible to keep him off the streets and is often in some kind of trouble. The Recorder thought a month's stay at the farm might do him some good.

Mr. J. C. Fowlkes, who shot and killed a pole cat at the southwest corner of Second and Dock streets Thursday night, was tried on the charge of discharging a firearm within the city limits. He was promptly discharged as he abated a nuisance in killing the skunk.

Knit Underwear Sale!

You can save on the purchase of needed new underwear at this sale. Prices dropped to a point lower than hitherto reached. It will pay you to supply your anticipated needs for months to come.

Sleeveless Shirts made of fine nainsook, 50c quality, full regular sizes, knee Drawers to match, each 33⅓c

50c Patent Seam Drawers, full size, 29 to 44..... 39c

50c Balbriggan Shirts, fine gauze, short or long sleeves, and Drawers to match, each..... 39c

35c Balbriggan Shirts, short or long sleeves and Drawers to match, each..... 25c

25c Balbriggan Shirts, each 19c

50c Negligee Shirts, fine assortment, all sizes, this week 39c

The variety of fancy 1-2 Hose now offered at big reduction will cover a multitude of feet. The range of patterns is broad. The quality high and price low.... 12½c, 19c, 39c

Ladies' White Hose, plain Lisle, Mercerized and Lace at..... 23c

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ENLARGE WATERWORKS PLANT.

Commission Decides to Double the Present Size—Plans.

Members of the Waterworks and Sewerage Commission are busily engaged in working out plans for the rehabilitation and extension of the waterworks plant, purchased by the city some months ago, and in a short time the construction work is expected to begin. The engineering firm of Hazelhurst & Anderson, of Atlanta, Ga., has opened an office on Princess street, opposite the waterworks office, and are conferring with the commission with reference to the plans. The firm will also supervise the construction work.

It is the purpose of the commission to double the present size of the plant which will make it second to none in North Carolina. Two 20-inch mains will be laid from the pumping station at Hilton, one down Water street and the other down Ninth street, and to these will be connected a perfect net work of smaller mains, eight, ten and twelve inches, etc., in size. The flow will be ample and the pressure powerful. A new boiler and pump will likely be installed at the pumping station at Hilton and the filtration plant will be enlarged. There will be numerous other improvements and additions to the plant which will be announced as the plans progress. The commission will also have charge of the sewerage plant work, which will be commenced during the progress of the construction work on the waterworks plant or shortly after its completion.

THE WATER HIGH HERE.

Cape Fear River Shows Effects of Heaviest Freshet of Season.

The water in the Cape Fear river at this point, affected by the up-country freshet of the past week, meeting the incoming tide, was considerably higher than usual yesterday, particularly noticeable at high tide. The water has been gradually rising for several days and has about reached its highest point and is beginning to recede.

The familiar scenes of the destructive freshet of last year in August were again reproduced in the muddy water and lumber, logs and undergrowth which came floating down through the day. Reports from Fayetteville yesterday where the water reached 47 feet on Wednesday are to the effect that the water is now rapidly falling.

A JAPANESE TEA

McDougal Memorial Class Will Give Sociable to Its Friends.

A unique and pleasing entertainment has been arranged by the McDougal Memorial class of Brooklyn Baptist church, when a Japanese tea will be given next Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. S. L. Smith, No. 709 North Fifth street.

The event will be featured by a musical programme, refreshments and pretty Japanese decorations. The young ladies of the class will wear the oriental costumes and their friends and the public are invited to attend. It will be one of the prettiest church sociables of the season and the proceeds will be for the church.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.* A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Don't forget the great half-price clothing sale at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

TAYLOR-ROSE NUPTIALS

Friends Here Will be Interested in Marriage at Benson.

Many Wilmington friends will be interested in the marriage of Mr. John W. Taylor, of this city, and Miss Mamie A. Rose, of Benson, which was solemnized at the home of the bride at the latter place Thursday at noon.

It was a very pretty wedding and among the attendants were, Mr. R. G. Davis, of Wilmington, best man, with Messrs. J. A. Bowden, of this city, Dr. W. T. Martin, of Benson and O. A. Babern, of Benson, as groomsmen. Miss Lizzie B. Bradshaw, of Montague, was maid-of-honor, and the brides maids were Miss Fannie Rose, sister of the bride, Miss Marguerite Bradshaw, of Montague, and Miss Mary Rose, of Benson. The wedding march was played by Miss Sallie McNeill, of Wade, N. C., and just before the ceremony a solo was rendered by Mrs. McDonald. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. J. J. Rose, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. G. C. Vardell, of Red Springs.

Among the out-of-town guests who witnessed the ceremony, besides those mentioned, were: Mrs. C. F. McArteon, of Goldsboro; Mr. R. L. Woodard, of Greensboro; Mr. D. W. Cobb, of Goldsboro; Messrs. W. T. Harrison and C. G. Smith, of Goldsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stancil, of Smithfield.

The bride is a very popular and attractive young lady and the groom has many friends in this city, where he is connected with the Coast Line. Following the ceremony they left for the North to spend a few days on a bridal tour and are expected to arrive here Monday, where they will make their home.

STIEFF'S MONTHLY JOURNAL.

Trade Paper Has Interesting Reference to Local Branch Here.

The current number of Stieff's Monthly Journal, a publication devoted to the music trade, has an interesting notice of the Stieff Music House in Wilmington, which is the most southernly branch and is in charge of Mr. J. W. Wilson as manager. It is stated that the Stieff is looked upon with great favor here as an evidence of which artists and knowing ones who have recently visited the city have expressed a preference for the instrument. These were Mme. Calve in her recital here; by Sig. Josi de Acugna; at celebration of 90th anniversary of Odd Fellows; at Eagles' memorial service; at closing exercises of High School; at the May Music Festival and others. Mr. Wilson, in writing of the Wilmington branch, says: "Intellect is asserting itself more each day in piano buying. Our business is surely and rapidly growing and Stieff is becoming a household word all over the "Good Old North State'."

THE REFORMATORY FUND

Additional Contribution in Behalf of the Boys—Brotherhood.

The Star acknowledges and will forward promptly an additional contribution of $5 received yesterday from Mr. B. B. Brown, No. 904 South Fourth street, for the benefit of the fund which Rev. R. W. Hogue, of Chapel Hill, is raising for the maintenance of three Wilmington boys being cared for in a training school out of the State and who will be turned adrift unless arrearages are paid. The Star also learns that the Brotherhood of Saint James, one of the most valuable auxiliaries of Mr. Hogue's work during his residence here, is also raising a subscription for this fund which will be announced and forwarded in a few days.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath services at 11 A. M. Sabbath School at 4 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public is cordially invited. Seats free.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner of Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M. ,and members are requested to remain for preaching. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights at 8 P. M. Brotherhood Tuesday nights at 8 P. M. and Ladies' Aid Society Thursday nights at 8 P. M. Everybody invited and welcomed.

First Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor. Services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M. Sunday School at 9:55 A. M. Usual prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 6:15. All welcomed.

Grace M. E. Church, corner of Fourth and Grace streets, preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. Thomas Grant, at 8 P. M. preaching by Rev. W. L. Cuninggim, presiding elder. Sunday school at 4:30 P. M. Public cordially invited.

Rev. W. E. Cox, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, will conduct services at the Chapel at Wrightsville Beach, tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock. Public cordially invited to attend.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGED

J. H. Murphy, Club Man, Prosecutes John A. Sears.

John A. Sears, a white man, was arraigned in Justice Harriss' court yesterday at 12 o'clock on the charge of embezzling a hat, cigarette holder, umbrella, some lumber and a barrel of bottles from J. H. Murphy, secretary and treasurer of the Royal Bouncers Club, who was this week convicted in the Superior court and sentenced to six months on the county roads for selling whiskey. It appeared from the evidence that Murphy appointed Sears as his agent to wind up the affairs of the club after his arrest, trial and conviction before the Recorder for selling whiskey. Sears sold the articles enumerated and it is alleged, failed to turn the money, about $20, over to Murphy. Sears admitted selling the property and his failure to make returns to Murphy, stating that he had not had an opportunity to see Murphy since the sale. He had spent part of the money, he said.

Murphy was brought to the city from the county roads to testify in the case. Probable cause being found the case was sent up to the Recorder and in default of $100 bond the defendant went to jail to await trial by the Recorder this morning. He was represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq.

Angler Excursion Yesterday.

An excursion over the Coast Line from Angler, N. C., which was operated by way of Fayetteville, arrived in the city yesterday morning and brought 167 people. The excursionists enjoyed the day at Wrightsville Beach and in the city and left on the return trip at 9 o'clock last night.

Vagaries of a Cold.

In winter cold may settle in the bowels. In the summer it may give you colic or summer complaint. But don't fear appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm water and relief will come at once. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. A large 35c. size as well as the 50c. size.

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WILMINGTON BAPTIST UNION

Meeting Will be Held With Barlow's Chapel Baptist Church Latter Part of Month—The Programme Announced.

The Wilmington Baptist Union will be held at Barlow's Chapel Baptist Church, August 27th, 28th and 29th, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of delegates from each of the churches in the Union. Each church is expected to send at least three representatives. The object of the meeting is to arouse the various churches of the Union spiritually and the theme will be the Holy Spirit.

Thursday night preceding the meeting of the Union, Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist church, will preach on "The Importance of the Holy Spirit in Church Work."

Friday morning, August 27th, at 10 o'clock, the Union will convene. The devotional services will be conducted by the moderator, Rev. A. C. Chaffin, following which the organization will be perfected and reports will be received from the various churches. At 11 o'clock Rev. W. L. Britt will address the Union on "The Holy Spirit in the Missionary Effort of the Church." The afternoon session will convene at 2 o'clock and the following is the order of exercises: "The Holy Spirit and Prayer," Rev. J. H. Dobson; "The Holy Spirit and Understanding the Bible," Rev. DeLoche; "The Holy Spirit in Testimony and Service," W. B. Rivenbark; "The Holy Spirit as a Comforter" Rev. J. D. Hocutt. Friday evening at 8 o'clock Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, will preach on "The Holy Spirit and Power."

Saturday morning the Union will meet at 10 o'clock and Rev. J. A. Bryson will conduct the prayer service. "The Baptism of the Holy Spirit" will be discussed by the following: "What is It?" Rev. C. F. Whitlock; "Who May Receive It?" Rev. O. P. Meeks; "Conditions of Receiving it," Rev. G. A. Martin; "Results of Receiving It," Rev. A. C. Chaffin.

Upon the convening of the afternoon session "The Holy Spirit in Sunday School Work" will be the theme of remarks by Messrs. G. E. Leftwich, C. C. Rice and W. L. Moore. Mr. D. L. Gore will speak on "The Holy Spirit in the Business of the Church," and Rev. W. L. Britt will speak on "The Holy Spirit and the Sinner." Saturday night there will be a sermon by Rev. W. B. Rivenbark, and Sunday morning Rev. G. A. Marton will preach on the subject, "The Holy Spirit's Part in a True Revival."

RETURN OF MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Many Ministers and Magistrates Neglect Important Matter.

An examination of the marriage record in the Register of Deeds' office yesterday afternoon disclosed the fact that the ministers and magistrates of New Hanover county are very slow in returning the marriage licenses, showing the date of the marriage and by whom the marriage was performed as is required by law. The book shows that a number of licenses issued as far back as 10 and 15 years ago have never been returned and only a very few of those issued in the past few months have been returned for record. The marriage record books cannot be completed until the papers are returned properly filled out, hence the law makes it compulsory upon the ministers and magistrates to make returns within two months after the celebration of the marriage ceremony. Some of the ministers and magistrates carry or send the license back the next day or in a week at the outside, which is appreciated by the Register of Deeds.

On each marriage license is printed the following paragraph: "You are required within two months after you shall have celebrated the proposed marriage to return this license to me at my office with the blanks therein filled according to the facts, under penalty of forfeiting $200 to the use of any person who shall sue for the same."

Popular Pastor Given Surprise.

Members of the congregation of St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church gave their popular pastor, Rev. Geo. S. Bearden, and Mrs. Bearden a pleasant surprise last night, when they appeared at the parsonage about 8 o'clock with many good things to eat, especially refreshments, such as cake and ice cream. It was in the nature of welcome home from a visit to relatives in South Carolina. The members of the congregation remained at the parsonage until 10 o'clock and the time intervening was very pleasantly spent by all.

A LARGE CONTRACT.

When J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co, enterprising druggists, first offered a 50 cent package of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price, and guaranteed to return the money if it did not cure, they thought it probable from their experience with other medicines for these diseases, that they would have a good many packages returned. But although they have sold hundreds of bottles, not one has been brought back.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., want every person in Wilmington who has constipation, dyspepsia or liver trouble to come to their store or send J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. 25 cents by mail and get 60 doses of the best medicine ever made at half the regular price, with their personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

To those suffering with dizziness, headache, poor digestion, constipation, and straining, Dr. Howard's specific offers quick relief.

Bargains in gents' furnishings at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

Big bargains in matting today at Rehder's. No charge for laying. **

KILTIES SPLIT EVEN

(Continued From First Page.)

Mister Hallman was his name,
Deceitful were his wares,
Which explains the reason why
We left the park in tears.
—Sailors' Chanty.

The second game was called at 4:45 and Ashton retired the first three batters from the infield. Lonr got the first of three hits off Hallman for Wilmington after two were down in this inning, but Brodie fanned. Meaney led off the second for Fayetteville with a single to left and was sacrificed by Schumaker and after Haidt was out third to first, O'Neill singled to right but Lohr caught Meaney at the home plate, retiring the side. For Wilmington Lenox flew to third and Sharp and Jayes fanned.

Galvin led the third with another single to left but Hallman forced him at second, Guerrant to Sharp while Clemens lined out on a beautiful catch by Brodie, after which Dobson fanned. For Wilmington after Kite flew to right, Ashton singled to left but Nichols flew to second and Guerrant fanned.

Fayetteville started Ashton's undoing in the fourth after McKernan popped out to Kite. Meaney took a stroll and Schumaker and Haidt made successive singles to right, filling the bases. Then after O'Neill had fanned, Galvin singled to left and Meaney and Schumaker galloped across the plate; Hallman next singled to left and Haidt scored; Clemens ended it by flying to Jayes. For Wilmington Lohr fanned and Brodie and Lenox were out short to first.

Both teams were up and down in order in the fifth, but in the sixth the Kilties pushed another one over the marble when Schumaker walked, Haidt singled to left; O'Neill bunted to Ashton filling the bases, with none down. Then when Jack fanned Galvin, the bugs were wondering if he was going to pull himself through but with Hallman up Guerrant let a throw to third to catch the runner get away from him and Schumaker scored; Hallman was out on a beautiful stab by Sharp who retired O'Neill on a double at second. Ashton started Wilmington's half with another hit over second, first up and Nichols walked but Guerrant fanned and Ashton was caught at third, Lenox ending all hope by fanning.

Tabulated Score.

Fayetteville.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Clemens, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Dobson, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	0
McKernan, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Meaney, rf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Schumaker, cf	1	2	1	0	0	0
Haidt, 3b	3	1	2	2	0	0
O'Neill, ss	3	0	1	0	2	0
Galvin, c	3	0	2	9	1	0
Hallman, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	24	4	8	18	5	0

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Nichols, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Guerrant, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	1
Lohr, rf	3	0	1	0	1	0
Brodie, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Lenox, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sharp, ss	2	0	0	5	0	0
Jayes, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Kite, c	2	0	0	4	2	0
Ashton, p	2	0	0	2	0	1
Totals	20	0	3	18	6	2

Score by Innings.

Fayetteville .. ..000 301—4 8 0
Wilmington .. ..000 000—0 3 2

Summary—Double play, Sharp unassisted; sacrifice hits, Schumaker; stolen bases, Lohr, bases on balls, off Hallman 1, Ashton 2; struck out, by Hallman 9, Ashton 3; time 1:10; umpire, Johnston; attendance 750.

Close Game at Wilson.

Wilson, N. C., Aug. 6.—'Twas a battle royal between the Red Birds and Tobacconists today, every man in both teams playing the very highest class ball. Farrell was in the box for the home team and in the first inning six men faced him, four of whom went to bases on balls. Here is how it happened: Crozier was the first man up, and on four balls pitched he went to first; on wild throw by Farrell, Crozier went to second; then on wild pitch he got to third; Haas walked, Hoover, F. bunted and was caught out on first. Hoffman and Hoover, C. followed the example of the two pedestrians who had gone on before and did them some walking, which forced Crozier home. Brumfield popped out to pitcher who passed the ball to Calder robbing Haas of a run, making a double play and leaving two men on bases. The umpire's punkey decisions had much to do with the merry-go-round, in the first he having much to learn about balls and strikes which decisions gave the visitors their only unearned run. After the first the feature was the star playing by both teams. Score:

Raleigh .. ..100 000 000—1 3 0
Wilson .. ..000 000 000—0 4 1

Pope and Irwin; Farrell and Gilmore; umpire Bass; time 1:55; Attendance 400.

Fast at Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 6.—In one of the fastest games of the season Goldsboro took the first game by the score of one to nothing. Score:

Rocky Mount ...000 000 000—0 2 0
Goldsboro .....100 000 000—1 3 0

Smith and Walsh; Bussey and Francis; umpire Newcomb.

The second game resulted in a victory for the Railroaders, three to two, 15 innings. Score:

Rocky Mt..000 002 000 000 001—3 13 0
Goldsboro .000 020 000 000 000—2 5 2

Luyster and Conn and Walsh; Bussey and Francis; umpire Newcomb.

WHOOPS AND WHINES.

Joy!

And jolts!

The last one was kinder baggy at the knees.

Another case of: "You tickle me; I'll tickle you."

The whole session was as tempestuous as a dirty night on the Caribbean.

Little Galvin, Fayetteville's maskman, was on the job every minute of play.

Bertie Kite caught well and cooped every foul that got anyways within reach of his paws.

Sexton's slippery serve was too much for the Highlanders, and they only found him twice.

Ten whiffed on Sexton's offerings, while Hallman beat down almost as many Sailors in his game.

Watters got a smashing double-sacker over Brodie's head on the first ball dealt him in the 3rd.

There ain't no getting around the fact that Chick Watters is some speed-peddler; and he heaved a man's-sized game yesterday.

Lohr made a long running catch along the first base foul line; and also winged one home from right garden in time to catch a runner at the pan.

With both hands away over his head, Orie Brodie yanked down a hummer in deep centre just as he'd stalled in the deep sand after a frisky reverse movement that was quite trying on the young fellow.

Jayes and Sharp did the sticking for the home talent in the first game, the latter's bingles including one for an extra cushion; while Jack Ashton found his opponent for two swats in the last.

Comes the Rocky Mount Record with the following: "Wilmington and her people can stand to be on top so well, and they are not so fond of those cartoons. Others on the circuit like to see them" (on top.) Thanks, brother.

Guerrant's kneeling knock-down and instant recovery of a bewhiskered offering in time to throw the batter out at 1st, was a classic; and equally as great was Sharpie's leaping mailed hand stab of a scorching near-single over short, followed by a double at 2nd.

Dobson's striking the umpire in the back after the latter had called him out on attempted steal of 2nd, when the decision was really only a formality it was so apparently correct, was very childish; and nobody was caught crying when he was canned for the remainder of the first game.

SHE CUT NEGRO'S THROAT.

Mrs. Lawson Found Him in Her Room in Gainesville, Ga., Hotel.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Gainesville, Ga., Aug. 6.—Edwin Mathews, colored, night porter at a local hotel early this morning had his throat cut by Mrs. Mamie Lawson for entering her room through a window.

Mrs. Lawson, who arrived last night from Jefferson, Ga., was shown to her room by Mathews. Later Mathews knocked on the door and asked to enter to see about a key, which he did.

Mrs. Lawson fastened her door securely after the negro left, the latter having acted queerly.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, she was awakened by someone sitting on the side of her bed. She instantly grabbed a knife which she had placed under her pillow and cut the negro's throat, inflicting a serious wound.

Mathews was then taken to the county jail where he was kept until 3 o'clock this afternoon when Sheriff Crow took him to Atlanta for safe keeping, intense feeling having been engendered by the negro's action.

SOUTH CAROLINA DISPENSARY

Special Term of Court to Hear Injunction Against Holding Election.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 6.—Chief Justice Jones has called a special session of the State Supreme Court to meet here August 12th to hear the application for an injunction against the holding of the dispensary election on August 17th. The rule will be directed against the Charleston county election commissioners, and is asked for in the name of Thomas Jellico, of Charleston.

The petitioner alleges that the act calling for the election is unconstitutional, the specific attacks being on the ground that the purpose of the act is not expressed in its title and that the act is class legislation, giving to certain counties the privilege of holding the election and with holding it from the counties now dry.

ADD BASEBALL TELEGRAPH

Whiteville Defeats Boardman.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Aug. 6.—In one of the prettiest games played on home grounds this season, Whiteville defeated Boardman yesterday by a score of 6 to 3. Up till the lucky eighth it looked as if the visitors would win the game, but after the bases had been filled Biggs came to the bat and singled and two more runs were added to locals' already two, making the score 4 to 3. Biggs went to second on the throw in, and Smith next up smashed out a two-bagger, and two more runs were counted. The game was featured by the battery work of Tucker and Biggs, while Lewis' stick work was also noticeable.

Boardman .. ...111 000 000—3 6 4
Whiteville .. ...101 000 04x—6 9 3

Covington and Ivey, Tucker and Biggs; Umpire Council.

DUEL RESULTED FATALLY.

Edwards Killed and Son Seriously Injured at Bristol, Tenn.

Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 6.—At Erwin, Tenn., last evening Solomon Edwards was shot and killed, his son, W. A. Edwards wounded, and Frank Miller received a pistol ball in his breast.

Frank and Jake Miller, brothers, are charged with the shooting. Both are in jail. The trouble arose over a game of cards.

Bertha Deline, a young white woman, at Roanoke, Va., after quarreling last night with a young man on the street, shot herself in the head, in an attempt to commit suicide. A "rat" in her hair saved her life.

All pants are sold at reduced prices at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

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AFFAIRS AT THE CAPITAL

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in salaries to North Carolina rural carriers $1,075,436.

A notice was issued today by State Superintendent Joyner to the effect that as many applicants for High School teachers certificates were providentially prevented from standing the examination July 8th and 9th the Board has decided in justice to these to provide another examination to be held at county seats by the county superintendents August 25th and 26th; also that all other applicants whose applications are in by August 19th can be included. The examinations will be in only those counties in which advance notice is given of the presence of teachers desiring the examination.

The Electric Cleaning Co., Fayetteville, received a charter today with $25,000 capital and authority to own and develop timber, farming and grazing lands and carry on mercantile business in addition to that of operating appliances for renovating stores, dwellings and apartments generally. F. H. Bradley and E. G. Davis are the principal incorporators.

A "blind tiger" without legs was the remarkable status of a prisoner arraigned before Police Justice Stronach today. He was convicted and a fine of $100 imposed in lieu of a sentence to the roads since a convict with no legs would hardly be of any service on the chain gang.

IN MEMORIAM.

Sarah Augusta Carney.

By kindness of the Star I am permitted to speak a few words by way of my own deep appreciation of the life of Miss Sallie Carney, whose sad death occurred at her home in this city on last Sunday morning at 12:15 o'clock, and whose life was so nobly lived among us. Typhoid fever was the cause of her death. From the very start there seemed to be but little hopes of her recovery and everything seemed to work against her, until the end came after an illness of 25 days. Every possible effort was made to save her life, by physicians, by friends and by a devoted family, but it seemed the time had come when she must answer to the call of the One, who knows and does all things best.

Sallie was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carney, of this city, and the sister of five brothers, these being Messrs. J. H. Carney, of Mobile, Ala., W. A. Carney, of Mexico, A. J. Carney, of Portsmouth, Va., and Marshall and Gaston Carney, of Wilmington. Her death is exceedingly sad, coming just as she stood upon the threshold of a happy, hopeful and useful life, and hundreds were shocked, not only in North Carolina, but from Virginia to Mexico, as the news of her death was heralded to all these parts by phone and wire. Her removal by death is a great loss to her home and to our whole community. Young as she was, she was settled and steady in her life and conduct. She never cared to frolic with the crowd or to foolishly waste her time. When not at work she was at home at the piano playing and singing her favorite religious hymns, and when the Sabbath came she was always at church.

She was naturally religiously inclined, and she grew up into a Christian life from her very childhood, uniting herself with Trinity Methodist church six years ago, and with which church she had been connected from infancy. She was a good Christian girl. I never knew her to speak unkindly to anyone. She was cheerful and hopeful to everybody and had only encouraging words for everyone she met. I never came in her presence in church or home, but what I felt better by meeting her, for she always presented the bright and hopeful side of life. She had the esteem, respect and confidence of everyone who knew her. She was loved by all who were worthy to love her.

The funeral services over the remains were held at 4:30 P. M. on Monday, August 2nd, from her church that she loved so well and which was packed to overflowing with sorrowing friends and relatives. After the services at the church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. L. Rexford, assisted by Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church, the long funeral train moved slowly to Bellevue cemetery, where all that was mortal of the good girl was laid to rest. Trinity church has lost a friend, who stood by it and its works until the very last. Her home has lost a companion, who was faithful, true and kind, and the world has lost a sweet spirited Christian girl. In the midst of all we submit to God's will, for God's will must be done. He knows His own and He knows how to care for His own better than we know. Why God should garner away from the earth such a noble life we know not, but we shall know hereafter. What may seem dark now may some day be understood.

W. L. REXFORD, Pastor.

—Concord, Aug. 5.—Thomas Cannon, about 54 years of age, was found dead this morning at 8 o'clock in the woodhouse at the home of Mrs. Joe Foil, with whom he boarded. He had not gone to his room during the night. Mrs. Foil went into the garden and on coming out saw the man lying in the wood house door dead. A razor lying beside the dead body told the story of suicide. His throat was deeply gashed and the wound was perfectly dry, showing that death came some hours before. Mr. Cannon was last seen at Brown's stable at 11 o'clock last night asleep on a chair. He had been in bad health and low spirits for some time. One brother, Mr. James W. Cannon, lives here. His wife and one daughter are in Spartanburg, S. C. He was a native of Concord, but formerly was in business in Spartanburg.

All shoes at a bargain at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

Traveling trunks are sold at nearly half price at Fuchs'. au 7-3t.

Bags and suit cases sold at one-third off at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

Singer Talks

Singer the Standard to Which All Others Are Compared

¶ Have you ever wondered why it is that dealers in other makes of sewing machines take pains to emphasize their claim that their particular machine is "just as good as" the Singer?

¶ Or why it is that more than 2,000,000 women buy Singers every year—more than all other makes combined?

¶ Or why Singer sales have spread all over the world, into every civilized country?

¶ The Singer has so long represented the highest degree of excellence that it is today everywhere recognized as the standard of perfection—the envy of every competitor—the pride of every owner.

¶ It is easy to own a Singer. Ask in any Singer store—they're everywhere.

Sold only by

Singer Sewing Machine Company

208 N. Front St.

British Savings Clubs.

The working people of England are great patrons of savings clubs, all sorts of agencies being created to enable them to save money that they may have it to spend during the festive season of the year. There are clubs of all kinds, ranging from the shop club, to which the workingmen contribute, to the little clubs run for the purpose of letting school children have a shilling's worth of sweets for a Christmas treat. There is hardly a workshop of any importance in London without its workmen's saving club, besides which there are many dividing clubs carried on at public houses, and the deposits amount in the aggregate to a very large sum. The withdrawals begin in the early days of December, and it is not uncommon for the banks to pay out £300 ($1,460) to £500 ($2,433) to a single club, and the problem of storing the money is one of some difficulty. As the amounts have to be divided among many people they are wanted in cash, and in some cases the proportion of gold, silver and copper is specified.

Easter Island.

Easter island is a lonely Pacific islet, forty-seven square miles in area, entirely volcanic and containing several extinct craters, some of which are more than a hundred feet high, discovered by Roggeveen on Easter Sunday, 1722. Little is known concerning the curious remains which have made the island famous. They consist of more than 500 rudely carved stone statues and busts, varying in height from three to seventy feet and said to be portraits of famous men, not idols. There are also hundreds of stone houses on the island, with painted interiors and incised tablets which, strange to say, have never been deciphered. Between 1860 and 1862 the population, by reason of polyandry and emigration, dwindled to 150 souls, and in 1863 most of these were carried off by the Peruvians to work guano. The few inhabitants left are fair haired Polynesians. Since 1888 the island has been a Chilean convict station.—New York Telegram.

German Way of Serving Asparagus.

When living in Germany we noticed that the asparagus served there was unsually tender and of a much more delicate flavor than that which we got in America. We learned that the Germans do not consider asparagus fit to eat unless the outside skin is scraped from each stalk before cooking. This sounds like slow work, but if a sharp knife is used it can be done quite rapidly and is well worth the trouble.—Good Housekeeping.

Told You So.

"It's the unexpected that always happens."

"Oh, I don't know. Somebody always claims to have predicted it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Poor Doctor.

Hawkins—So you sent for a doctor? Does he think you will be out soon? Robbins—I imagine so. He said he wished I had sent for him sooner.—Puck.

Silence is too much praised. Nine men out of ten will shun you if you can't or won't talk.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Seared With A Hot Iron,

or scalded by overturned kettle—cut with a knife—bruised by slammed door—injured by gun or in any other way—the thing needed at once is Bucklen's Arnica Salve to subdue inflammation and kill the pain. It's earth's supreme healer, infallible for Boils, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

For white canvas slippers see Rehder's, Fourth street bridge. **

The Irritating Mississippi.

The Mississippi is the greatest irritant in the United States. Its fickleness, conscious power and taunting eddies bring oaths to the lips of the most respectable and law abiding residents along its lower course. The greatest admirers of the river, the people who sing its praises with the most emphasis, are the ones who go off on a tangent of temper quickest when they find a new caving of river bank headed toward the newest and most expensive levee, built to protect great plantations, while just across the stream rise worthless bluffs and useless sand bars. Talk to a Mississippi river man—shanty boater, pilot, raftsman, plantation owner or city merchant—and he will brag about the river wonders. Its bigness charms him and makes him feel large and elated. Bring him around to his own experiences with it, and suddenly a shade of resentment crosses his face as he recalls a shanty boat wrecked by a cyclone, a steamboat snagged, a raft torn up in some bend, a plantation undercut and washed away or a season's trade spoiled by an overflow and crevasse.

"We love the river, damn it!" is a literal expression.—R. S. Spears in Atlantic.

A Queer Test.

The grocer said to the applicant:

"Your references are good. Show me your style of weighing out five pounds of sugar. There's the scales."

The applicant wreathed his face in the amiable smile all salesmen wear and weighed out the sugar with dispatch and accuracy. He put on too little sugar at first; he added gently a full half pound before the scale balanced.

"You'll do," said the grocer. "You understand the scale trick. It is plain that you learned your trade in the thorough old school way."

"Yes, sir," the other answered. "I learned in the country, and almost my first lesson was that in weighing. You must add, add, add, till the beam tips, because all that adding pleases the customer—seems to him almost like a gift. But if, on the contrary, you substract from the quantity on the scale the customer is affected in the opposite way—you seem to be robbing him. He goes away convinced that you are a stingy cheat."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Crusher.

A consequential little man entered the commercial room of a big hotel not long back and gave a vigorous pull at the bell. As no one answered he rang again more loudly than before. A maidservant then came in, and the following colloquy took place:

Servant—Who rang that bell?

Little Man (making most of his height)—I did.

Servant (scornfully)—And who lifted you up to it?—London Telegraph.

Their Troubles.

"You've got no grounds to envy me," said the millionaire to the beggar. "I've got just as many troubles as you have."

"No doubt yer right, boss," said the beggar humbly, "but the difficulty with me is I ain't got nothin' else."

Didn't Pass It.

A missionary in Trinidad once asked a negro sitting in idleness by the roadside how he managed to pass the time. "I sit in de sun, massa, and let de time pass me," was the quaint and philosophical reply.

Don't forget the great half-price clothing sale at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

50 cent Japonika silk, all colors today 27 1-2 cents at Rehder's. **

You can buy a $10.00 suit for $5.00 at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Lumberton Robesonian: Noah Bryant, the Croatan who was shot at Pembroke Sunday, is said to be in a serious condition and not expected to live. The trial of Wellington Brooks and Boss Locklear, also Croatans, who were jailed here Monday as a result of the cutting and shooting affray in which Bryant was wounded, has been postponed until the result of Bryant's injuries are known.

—Lumberton Robesonian: Dr. J. D. Regan, who has been making preparations for some time to manufacture ice at his laundry plant on Second street, put his plant in operation Monday night and expects to be ready to deliver ice this evening. The capacity of the plant will be 5 tons per day. This is the first enterprise of the kind for Lumberton and it is to be hoped that it will succeed, as it doubtless will.

—Fayetteville, Aug. 5.—The Board of Aldermen of this city has accepted a proposition from the County Commissioners by which Person street will be paved with macadam from the end of the present bitulithic pavement to the Cape Fear river. The work of macadamizing will be done by the county convict force, while the city will furnish the stone and a steam roller with an operator for the latter. The paving will extend eastward from Liberty Point to the new steel county bridge over the Cape Fear. The proposition was made to the Aldermen by the Commissioners at the request of a delegation of citizens.

—Pender Chronicle: Rev. A. B. Crumpler, so well known in this section when as a desciple of the Holiness doctrine he held his tent meetings throughout the county, but who has recently gone back to the Methodist Church, will hold a series of meetings at Herring's Chapel over in the Long Creek section about seven miles from Burgaw. Mr. Crumpler is an earnest, sincere preacher and now that he has given up the idea of our being wholly sanctified but acknowledges the weakness of mankind and the constant danger from sin, he will no doubt accomplish a great deal of good.

—Pender Chronicle: In the report of the County Superintendent of Health to the Commmissioners Monday Dr. Bradford states that in his opinion a surprisingly large percentage of the children of the county are suffering from hook worm disease. The symptoms of this disease are pale sallow faces, lack of vitality, etc., and can be detected by sight. The discussion of this disease is one of the important features of the Farmers' Institute which will be held here next Thursday. Be sure and hear what is said on the subject, and if your child or your neighbor's child is affected see that immediate treatment is given.

—Maxton, Aug. 5.—The annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans of Camp Bryan was held here yesterday and a number of the old soldiers were present. In the forenoon, several addresses were delivered to a good sized audience in the graded school auditorium and enthusiasm was high for the noble heries of the lost cause. A sumptuous dinner was served by the ladies of the town in the cotton warehouse, which was well arranged for the occasion and shown to be a very convenient place for such purposes. The meeting was greatly enjoyed by the visitors and by the home people and will be pleasantly remembered.

—Mount Olive Tribune: There died at his home near Mount Olive last Saturday afternoon one of this section's oldest and most highly respected colored citizens, Prince Kornegay, Sr., who was in the 78th year of his age. This old colored man spent his entire life in farming, and leaves an estate valued at about $5,000. He raised a family of 14 children, 12 of whom are living. It is said of him that he was never indicted and never served as a witness in court, and that he never owned nor shot a gun in his life. He was very industrious and had the respect and confidence of both races. We point to him as a most worthy example for the colored people of this and other sections of the South.

—Washington, D. C., Aug. 5.—Col. J. E. Alexander, of Winston, is a candidate for appointment as a member of the Customs Court, which was created by the new tariff bill that passed Congress today. Col. Alexander arrived here today, accompanied by Mr. Clement Manly. They talked with the Senators and the Republican Congressmen from the State. Col. Alexander is very strongly endorsed for the appointment. There are to be five judges, who will receive $7,500 each. It is most likely that Mr. Taft will give the Democrats representation in the make-up of the court.

—Raleigh News and Observer: Major Samuel H. Smith, of Winston-Salem, was in Raleigh yesterday and says that the Norfolk & Western and Atlantic Coast Line people are busily engaged in the work of building the Sounthbound Railroad, which will extend from Winston to Wadesboro, a distance of 90 miles. Major Smith says that it is expected to complete the Southbound in the next 18 months and to have it in operation in that time. He says it will be one of the best built roads in North Carolina when completed, a straight stretch of road, with 85 pound rails and stone ballast.

Washington's Plague Spots

lie in the low, marshy bottoms of the Potomac, the breeding ground of malaria germs. These germs cause chills, fever and ague, billiousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility and bring suffering or death to thousands yearly. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "They are the best all-round tonic and cure for malaria I ever used," writes R. M. James, of Louellen, S. C. They cure Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Blood Troubles and will prevent Typhoid. Try them, 50c. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

THE PRESIDENT'S ITINERARY

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President. It will be as diverse as could well be imagined and no "Seeing-all-America" tour could be devised to embrace as many points of interest in so brief a space of time as President Taft will give to his jaunt to the Pacific Coast and back through the great States of the South.

The President, accompanied by Secretary Fred W. Carpenter, Captain Archibald W. Butt, his military aid, several White House attaches and perhaps a guest of two for various parts of the trip, will travel in a private car, attached for the greater part of the time to regular trains but running "special" every now and then to fill in engagements at the smaller towns along the route and in the more remote sections where trains are few and far between.

During his tour the President will traverse the Royal Gorge of the Rocky Mountains, will visit the Alaska-Yukon Exposition at Seattle, will spend three days in the famous Yosemite Valley, will stop off at the Grand Canyon of the Colorado and follow the trail down into the depths of the giant abyss, will greet the President of Mexico on the International Bridge over the Rio Grande at El Paso on October 16, will take a four-days' sail down the Mississippi river from St. Louis to New Orleans, with various stops en route, and will spend four days on the ranch of his brother, Charles P. Taft, near Corpus Christi, Texas.

Starting from the rugged shores of the north coast of Massachusetts, the President goes direct West from Beverly. He will motor into Boston the morning of September 15—his 52nd birthday—and there board the car which practically will be a roving White House for two months. The President has accepted practically all the invitations that could be crowded into the 60 days set aside for the trip and his acceptance book is closed. There naturally will be many five and ten minute stops not included in the regular itinerary and many brief little car-end speeches, but the tour as now announced is to all intents and purposes complete.

The President's first stop will be at Chicago, where he arives shortly before noon on the morning of September 16, and spends the afternoon and evening, leaving at 3 A. M. Friday, September 17th, for Madison, Wis., where he will spend the entire forenoon of that day, leaving Madison at midday for Winona, Minn., with a brief stop at Portage, Wis., en route. After spending Friday night at Winona, the President will reach Minneapolis early the morning of Saturday, September 18. The President will spend all day Saturday and Sunday in Minneapolis, leaving Sunday night at 8 P. M. in order to reach Des Moines, Ia., the morning of September 20. Five hours will be spent in Des Moines, and then the President moves on to Omaha where he will spend the late afternoon and evening.

Denver, Colo., will be reached the afternoon of September 21, and the President will go almost direct from his train to the State Capitol for a reception to be tendered by State officials, by the Chamber of Commerce, civic organizations, etc. At 9 P. M. the President will make an address in the Denver auditorium where Mr. Bryan last year was nominated for the Presidency. The President and his party will breakfast with Thomas F. Walsh at Wolhurst, near Denver, the morning of Wednesday, Sept. 22, and then return to the city for the Chamber of Commerce banquet at noon. Leaving Denver at 5 P. M., Sept. 22, the President and his party will stop for an hour's visit at Colorado Springs and then go on to Pueblo where in the evening they will be guests at the State Fair.

The morning of September 23 will find the President at Glenwood Springs for a brief visit and that afternoon he will visit Montrose to have a look at the great Gunnison tunnel of the Western Colorado irrigation project. Returning to Grand Junction to resume the journey westward, the President will arrive at Salt Lake City, Utah, Friday afternoon, Sept. 24, to remain there until Sunday afternoon, Sept. 26, when the party leaves over the Oregon Short Line for Pocatello, Idaho, and Butte, Mont., the latter city being reached Monday, Sept. 27 at 6:40 A. M. After spending half a day in Butte, there will be a brief excursion into Helena. Spokane, Wash., will be reached early Thursday morning, the 28th, and the entire day will be spent in the city. The forenoon of the 29th will be spent at North Yakima and the party will arrive at Seattle at 8:15 that evening.

President Taft will spend two days, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, "doing" the Alaska-Yukon Exposition, leaving Seattle late the evening of the second day and arriving at Portland, Ore., Oct. 2 at 7 A. M. Two days will be spent in Portland, the party leaving there at 6 P. M. Sunday, Oct. 3, for a trip down the famous Shasta Route, through the Siskiyou Mountains, and in view of Mount Shasta, to San Francisco. The President will stop the evening of Oct. 4 at Sacramento, reaching Oakland, Cal., early on the morning of October 5. He will spend four or five hours in and around Oakland and Berkeley, before taking the ferry at 12:30 o'clock for San Francisco. After spending the afternoon and evening of the 5th in San Francisco, the President will leave early the morning of the 6th for the Yosemite Valley. He will spend the 7th, 8th and 9th in the Valley and, coming out the morning of Sunday, Oct. 10, will proceed to Los Angeles, stopping for three hours at Fresno Sunday afternoon. The President will spend Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 11 and 12, in Los Angeles, visiting his sister. He will arrive at the Grand Canyon the morning of October 14 and will leave again that night for Albuquerque, N. M., where he will spend the evening of the 15th, reaching El Paso early the following morning for the meeting with President Diaz, of Mexico. This meeting, it is said, may take place in the center of the International Bridge, the chief executives of the two nations standing in their own territory and shaking hands across the border. It is said that a banquet also will be served on the bridge.

The President reaches San Antonio Sunday night, Oct. 17, and will spend the forenoon of the following day in an inspection of Fort Sam Houston, with the upbuilding of which he had much to do while Secretary of War. Arriving at Corpus Christi the evening of Oct. 18, the President goes at once to his brother's ranch, where he will spend all of Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Visiting Houston the forenoon of Saturday, Oct. 23, the President proseeds to Dallas that afternoon to spend Saturday evening and all of Sunday. From Dallas, the President proceeds direct to St. Louis to begin his four-days' trip down that historic waterway. He reaches St. Louis at 7:27 the morning of Monday, Oct. 25, and will leave at 4 P. M. on the steamer assigned to him by the Deep Waterways Association which is to hold its convention in New Orleans upon the President's arrival there. Following the President's boat will be a spectacular flotilla of river craft. One of the trailing boats will be assigned to the 30 governors of States who have accepted invitations to make the trip down the river and to attend the convention. Another boat will be assigned to a Congressional delegation of more than 100 members.

During his stay in St. Louis he will breakfast at the Commercial Club, will make an address at 11 A. M. in the Coliseum, will lunch at the Jefferson Hotel as the guest of the Business Men's League and before boarding the steamer at 4 P. M., will make a brief visit to East St. Louis, Ill.

The first long stop on the river will be at Cairo, Ill. at 8:30 A. M. Tuesday, October 26. The second stop will be at Hickman, Ky., at 2:50 P. M., the President making brief addresses at both places. Arriving off Memphis, Tenn. at 8 A. M. Wednesday, October 27, the President will make an address at 9 A. M. and that afternoon at 5 o'clock will speak at Helena, Ark. On Thursday, the 28th, at 2:30 P. M. the President will make a speech at Vicksburg. New Orleans will be reached about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. The river journey also will include short stops at Cape Girardeau, Mo., and Natchez, Miss. The President will remain in New Orleans from Friday afternoon, the 29th to Monday morning, November 1. He will address the Waterways Convention October 30 at 2:30 P. M.

From New Orleans the President goes to Jackson, Miss., spending practically the entire day of November 1 there. He will spend three hours of the following day at Columbus, Miss., and will arrive at Birmingham, Ala., that evening at 7:45 o'clock. The President will remain in Birmingham until the afternoon of Wednesday, November 3rd when he proceeds to Macon, Ga., arriving there early the morning of the 4th. After spending the forenoon of the 4th at Macon, the President proceeds to Savannah to spend the evening of the 4th and half of the next day, Charleston, S. C., is next on the list for a stop the evening of November 5th. From Charleston, the President proceeds Saturday morning, November 6 to Augusta, where he will spend Saturday afternoon and Sunday. The President wants to have another game of golf on the links where he spent so much time last fall as President-elect and to renew many of the pleasant acquaintances he made in Augusta.

Columbia, S. C., will be visited the afternoon of Nov. 8 and Wilmington, N. C., will claim the President for the entire day of the 9th. The President will spend twelve hours in Richmond, Va., from 5 A. M. to 5 P. M. and will return to Washington at 8:35 o'clock the night of November 10th.

The President leaves Washington again, probably on the 11th, for Middletown, Conn., to attend the installation of the new president of Wesleyan University. He also has engagements at Norfolk and Hampton, Va., November 19 and 20, so his travels will not be done until the morning of November 21 when he reaches Washington for the Winter and to put the finishing touches on his annual message.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
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Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:46 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

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	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	2:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
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Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

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Ar. Col'bia	12:26 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

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Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

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Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:26 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

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	7:15 A. M.
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11:00 P. M.	
	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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Leave Front and Princess Streets	Leave The Beach
East Bound.	West Bound.
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
	9:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P M	
	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market quiet 49 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $2.70 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $1.70 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $1.75 per barrel for hard; $3.10 for dip, and $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.00, $2.70 and $3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	22
Rosin	122
Tar	205
Crude Turpentine	126

Receipts, same day last year 91 casks spirits turpentine; 52 barrels rosin; 204 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales, same daylast year 18 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 31st:)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 19@20 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, 8c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand $1.25 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 25c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—The rise in prices today had the appearance of a righting in the market from the dip at yesterday's close. There was, in fact, considerable re-buying of stocks sold short by the professional element yesterday on the assumption that the enactment of the tariff law would be followed by a movement to realize profits by large holders of stocks who have been accumulating them through a period of many months. No such realizing movement developed today and the uncovered bears were prompted to cover their short contracts.

The enactment of the tariff law yesterday brought no immediate response today resembling an awakened general speculation in stocks.

A very favorable report on the condition of the grain crops by the Agricultural Department is looked for on Monday and this is relied on to bring in some demand for stocks which will afford a basis for selling.

Not much attention was paid to the forecasts of the currency movement in view of the continued ease in the call money market.

United States Steel's rise to 76 3-8 and Union Pacific to 203, made new record prices for those stocks.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value $5,372,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today were 799,200 shares.

Spot cotton quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands 12.70; middling gulf 12.95; sales 7,439 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close
August	12.20	12.27
September	12.22	12.20
October	12.20	12.17
November	12.22	12.17
December	12.25	12.22
January	12.25	12.20
February	——	12.20
March	12.28	12.22
April	——	12.22
May	12.28	12.24

Comparative Cotton Statement.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—Following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending Friday, August 6th:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week 8,302.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 22,055.

Total receipts since September 1st 8,898,087.

Total receipts to same date last year 8,364,712.

Exports for the week 23,324.

Exports for same week last year 24,967.

Total exports since September 1st 8,230,266.

Total exports same date last year 7,248,446.

Stock at all United States ports 230,224.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 193,652.

Stock at all interior towns 87,877.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year 122,354.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 439,000.

Stock of Am. afloat for Great Britain same time last year 21,000.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	3,610,715
New Orleans	2,080,771
Mobile	387,846
Savannah	1,496,903
Charleston	209,756
Wilmington	410,778
Norfolk	589,909
Baltimore	100,200
New York	19,101
Boston	19,075
Newport News	10,779
Philadelphia	6,675
San Francisco	82,528
Brunswick	324,992
Port Townsend	79,138
Pensacola	164,708
Portland, Ore.	300
Port Arthur & Sabine Pass	153,010
Jacksonville	30,617
Eagle Pass, Texas	1,075
El Paso, Texas	1,874
Laredo, Texas	4,735
Georgetown	2,649
Gulfport	20,221
Texas City	82,172
Minor Ports	7,560
Total	9,898,087

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 32; stock 9,974.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 757; stock 57,386.

Mobile—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 254; stock 6,184.

Savannah—Quiet, 12 1-2; net receipts 88; stock 15,805.

Charleston—Nominal; stock 2,354.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock 177.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 12-; net receipts 21; stock 5,392.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 3-4; net receipts 172; stock 2,887.

New York—Quiet, 12.70; stock 129,129.

Boston—Quiet, 12.70.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.95; stock 933.

Brunswick—Net receipts 300.

Newport News—Net receipts 55.

Total today, at all ports, Net 1,679; Great Britain 775; Continent 5,070; Mexico 50; Stock 230,224.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 8,362; Great Britain 2,472; France 10,321; Continent 12,081; Japan 400; Mexico 50.

Total since Sept. 1st., at all ports, Net 9,898,087; Great Britain 3,467,558; France 1,038,394; Continent 3,492,979; Japan 200,539; Mexico 30,796.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Steady, 12 1-8; net receipts 295; stock 12,932.

Augusta—Steady, 12 11-16; net receipts 15; stock 6,436.

Memphis—Quiet, 12 1-4; net receipts 12,561.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12 3-8; stock 15,107.

Cincinnati—Stock 13,769.

Louisville—Firm, 12 1-8; net receipts 10; stock 40.

Little Rock—Quiet; Stock 3,954.

Total today—Net receipts 426; gross receipts 461; shipments 1,366; sales 26; stock 64,799.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Aug. 6.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices points higher; American middling fair 7.23; good middling 6.87; middling 6.69; middling 6.51; good ordinary 6.25; ordinary 5.90.

The sales of the day were 9,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 8,600 American. Receipts 1,200 bales, all American. Futures opened steady and closed steady: August 6.57 1-2; August and September 6.48 1-2; September and October 6.47 1-2; October and November 6.47 1-2; November and December 6.47; December and January 6.47; January and February 6.47 1-2; February and March 6.48; March and April 6.48; April and May 6.48; May and June 6.48; June and July 6.48; July and August 6.46 1-2.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—The dry goods market continues fairly steady with buyers operating conservatively in all lines. Cotton yarns are irregular and quiet. Brown cottons are being advanced for late delivery by selling agents. There have been some fairly large sales for foreign wool in this market during the week to carpet manufacturers. Jobbers continue to report a steady but slow improvement in the general demand.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—The cotton market showed continued nervousness today and after a sharp early advance reached, with the close steady at a net advance of 11 points on August and of 5 points on September but generally unchanged to 2 points higher. The opening was steady at an advance of 4 to 9 points in response to better cables than expected and continued dry, hot weather in the southwest. During the early trading the market developed considerable strength as a result of covering, foreign buying and fresh reports through commission houses. The detailed Texas weather report showing very higher temperatures and the western belt forecast for clear to partly cloudy weather promoted the advance together with reports that part of the foreign buying was in the way of hedging against new crop requirements. The upward movement was checked around 12.31 for Janaury, by a renewal of bear pressure and realizing by local scalpers who had bought at the opening. There was no change in the general character of crop or weather news, but the market became unsettled during the afternoon and at one time the active months were about 4 to 5 points net lower. January closed at 12.20 bid, the final rally being the result of covering. Cables from Liverpool indicated that part of the buying there was taking in hedges against 15,000 bales of cotton which had been destroyed in a fire at Milan, Italy.

Receipts at the ports today 1,679 bales against 1,497 last week and 5,391 last year. For the week 18,000 bales against 14,347 last year and 21,989 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 757 bales against 378 last year.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—Money on call easy at 1 3-4 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 7-8, closing bid and offered at 1 3-4. Time loans strong but dull; sixty days 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., and ninety days 3 to 3 1-4 per cent. Six months 3 7-8 to 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8510 to 4.8520 for sixty day bills and at 4.8660 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-4 to 4.84 3-4. Bar silver 50 7-8. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	100 3-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	100 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. 4s reg	116
U. S. 4s cou	119 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s	112
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	96
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	89
Southern Railway 5s	112 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	107 1-4

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	85 1-8
Amr. Car & Foundry	69 1-4
Amr. Cotton Oil	76 5-8
Amr. Locomotive	68
Amr. Smelting & Ref	100 3-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	131 3-4
Atchison	119 5-8
Atchison pfd	104 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	133 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio	119 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	93
Chesapeake & Ohio	79 7-8
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	161 7-8
Colorado & Southern	56
Erie	38 1-2
Erie 1st pfd	56 1-8
Erie 2nd pfd	45 1-2
Great Northern pfd	154 3-4
Kansas City Southern	47 7-8
Kansas City Southern pfd	72 1-2
L. & N.	146 1-2
Northern Pacific	155 7-8
Pennsylvania	141 7-8
People's Gas	115 1-2
Reading	164
Republic Steel pfd	108 1-8
Rock Island Co.	39 1-2
Rock Island Co. pfd	77 1-8
Southern Pacific	135 3-4
Southern Pacific pfd	
Southern Railway	32 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	72 1-2
Standard Oil Co.	700
Union Pacific	202 7-8
Union Pacific pfd	104
U. S. Steel	74 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	127 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	50 3-8
Western Union	75 3-4
Westinghouse Electric Co.	88 3-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 6.—Flour easier with a quiet local trade.

Corn Meal—Barely steady.

Wheat—Spot barely steady; No. 2 red new 1.11 domestic elevator; No. 2 red old 1.13 1-4 prompt f.o.b. afloat. Options 3-8 to 1-2c net lower. Sept. 1.08 3-4; Dec. 1.06; May 1.07 7-8.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 old 80c asked delivered; No. 2 new 60 1-8 Winter shipment. Options 1-8 to 1-4c net lower. Sept. 71 5-8; Dec. 63 3-4.

Oats—Spot easy; mixed 48 1-2.

Lard and Rice—Firm.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.55 to 3.58. Refined—Steady.

Cotton Seed Oil broke sharply during the early session in absence of buying orders and temporary withdrawal of professional support. Prices steadied somewhat later on light offerings. August 5.30 to 5.50; Sept. 5.49 to 5.56; Oct. 5.52 to 5.60; Dec. 5.45 to 5.47; prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 5.25 to 5.60; prime white 5.40 to 5.95; prime winter yellow 5.40 to 5.95.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 3-3 to 7 1-2; Santos No. 4, 8 7-8 to 9. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-2. Futures steady net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Peanuts and Freights—Quiet, unchanged.

Potatoes—Irregular; Jersey 1.75 to 2.37 per barrel; Southern sweets 2.50 to 4.50 per barrel.

Cabbages—Dull, unchanged.

Butter—Unchanged.

Cheese—Firmer; State, full cream specials 14 1-4 to 15 1-4; skims full to specials 2 to 11 1-2.

Eggs—Irregular; State, Pennsylvania and nearby selected, white hennery, fancy 30 to 33; do brown fancy 29 to 30.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Wheat prices established a new low mark for the season on the board of trade today when September delivery joined the December option below the dollar mark. The bottom for September was reached at 99 1-8 to 1-4 and for December at 97 14 to 97 3-8. Corn and oats closed strong and provisions steady.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open	High	Close
Wheat.			
Sept	99 3-8	1 00 1-8	99 7-8
Dec.	97 1-2	98 1-8	98
May	1 01 1-4	1 01 5-8	1 01 1-2
Corn.			
Sept	62 5-8	63 3-4	63 3-4
Dec.	51 1-2	52 1-8	52 1-8
May	52 3-8	53 1-4	53 1-4
Oats.			
Sept	36 1-8	36 7-8	36 3-4
Dec.	36 1-4	36 7-8	36 3-4
May	38 3-8	38 7-8	38 7-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
Sept	20 40	20 55	20 55
Jan.	16 37 1-2	16 50	16 37 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Sept	11 30	11 37 1-2	11 32 1-2
Oct.	11 25	11 32 1-2	11 27 1-2
Nov.	10 92 1-2	10 95	10 90
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
Sept	11 05	11 12 12	11 07 1-2
Oct.	10 70	10 80	10 72 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. ...—Turpentine firm; rosin quiet.

Charleston, Aug. 6.—Spirits turpentine quiet 50; rosin quiet. Quote: A, B, C, 3.00 to 3.10; D, 3.40; E, 3.55 to 3.60; F, 3.80; G, 3.65; H, 4.15; I, 4.30; K, 4.95; M, 5.00 to 5.25; N, 5.35; WG, 5.45; WW, 6.00.

Savannah, Aug. 6.—Spirits turpentine firm 49 1-2 to 49 3-4; sales 823; receipts 187; shipments 340.

Rosin firm; sales 2,545; receipts 2,432; shipments 1,864; stock 144,069. uote: A. B. C. 3.10; D, 3.30; E, 3.60; F, 3.85; G,3.90; H, 4.20; I, 4.35; K, 5.10; M, 5.20; N, 5.25 to 5.40; WG, 5.30 to 5.50; WW, 6.00.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Tug Cecelia, towing Standard Oil barge No. 92, Standard Oil Co.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Str. Gladestry, Jackson, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 6, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—8 barrels tar; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine; 119 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—8 casks spirits turpentine; 35 barrels rosin; 24 barrels tar; 34 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine; 54 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine; 49 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—4 casks spirits turpentine; 87 barrels rosin; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

Total—22 casks spirits turpentine; 122 barrels rosin; 205 barrels tar; 126 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

White Wings, 654 tons, Combes, C. D. Maffitt.

Herbert D. Maxwell, 640 tons, Quillin, C. D. Maffitt.

To Drive Out Malaria
And Build Up The System.
Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form, and the most effectual form. For grown people and children 50c.

Forget
your troubles—take a trip to the pier. Boat leaves 5:15 P. M., 15 cents round trip. jul 1 tf

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A "grouch" is a man who smokes all-Havana cigars
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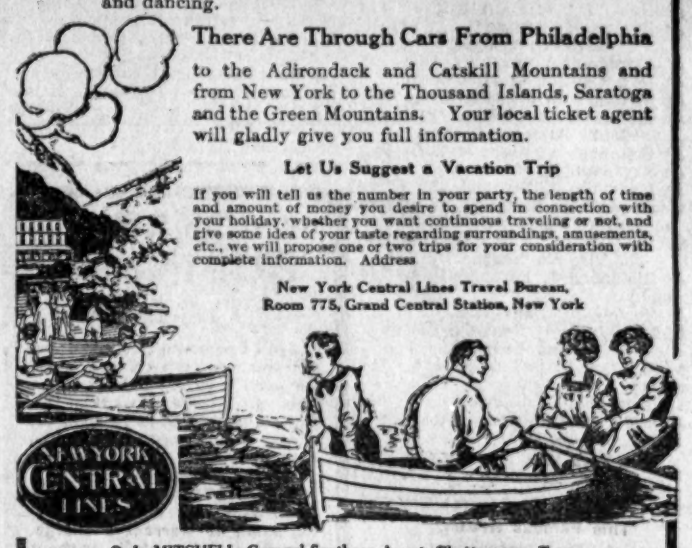
Such a combination as this gives the opportunity for the ideal holiday. Lakes, mountains, real wilds, and first-class hotels furnish rowing, fishing, hunting, riding, driving, golf, tennis and dancing.



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DO YOU PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRIES?
Those of you who have been making your purchases away from Wilmington should think before patronizing mail order and houses away from home any further.
Who sympathized with you when your little girl was sick? Was it the mail order house?
Who carried you last winter when you were out of a job and had no money? Was it the mail order house or was it your home merchant?
When you want to raise money for the church or for some needy person in town, do you write to the mail order house, or do you go to your home merchant?
How much does the mail order house give towards keeping up sidewalks or paying the minister's salary?
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Having agreed with the manufacturers to discontinue our jobbing department and support the warehouse, we will close out at once about
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To merchants we will sell all or any part of this stock at wholesale cost, for cash. The above applies only to goods from our wholesale department.
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200,000 rived heart Shingles.
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LIME, CEMENT AND PLASTER.
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Write, or call for prices.
W. B. THORPE & CO.
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BASE BALL

National League.

At Pittsburg 3; Brooklyn 2. (14 innings.)

At Cincinnati 1; New York 0, (10 innings.)

At Chicago 3; Boston 1.

At St. Louis 3; Philadelphia 0.

American League.

At Washington 1; St. Louis 2

At Philadelphia 1; Detroit 3.

At New York 8; Cleveland 0.

At Boston 8; Chicago 1.

Southern League.

At Montgomery-Nashville, rain.

At New Orleans 5; Memphis 0.

At Birmingham 0; Atlanta 3.

At Mobile 2; Little Rock 10.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbus 1; Augusta 0.

At Savannah 2; Macon 1.

At Knoxville 2; Columbia 2. (Five innings, given to Knoxville by umpire on account kicking by Columbia.)

Second: Columbia 6; Knoxville 2.

Virginia League.

At Richmond 3; Portsmouth 3. (10 innings.)

At Norfolk 10; Danville 2.

At Lynchburg 0; Roanoke 2.

Carolina League.

At Winston 5; Spartanburg 4. (11 innings.)

At Greenville 5; Charlotte 4.

At Anderson 1; Greensboro 3.

AT THE WHITE LAKE.

Large Party Spends Several Days at This Famous Resort.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Garland, N. C., Aug. 6.—A marooning party, composed of persons from this place, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cromartie, sojourned at the White Lake from Tuesday until today. Dancing, bathing, sailing and fishing were continually in order, and the happy hours passed only too swiftly for the marooners. Music for the dances was furnished by the Dyson and Wells string band.

Those composing the party: Misses Mary Sloan, Flora Cromartie, Julia Cromartie, Maggie J. Cromartie, Gertrude Cromartie, Carrie Bryan Sloan, Annie Belle Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Cromartie, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cromartie, Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Cromartie, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sloan, Mrs. Raymond DeVane, Messrs. James Johnson, William Sloan, Jr., J. H. Corbett, Henry Beatty, Graham Cromartie, B. J. Cromartie, Charlie Sloan and David Sloan of Garland.

The visitors were: Misses Alice McCullers, McCullers' Station; Elise Griffin, of Wilson; Edna Robinson, Ivanhoe; Loula Massenberg, Louisburg; Isabel MacRae, Wilmington; Nellie Geddie, Fayetteville; Mary and Maggie Corbett, Ivanhoe; Lillian Hall, Harrell's Store; Beulah Pate, Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. John Honeycutt, Miss Kathleen Honeycutt, Kerr; Miss Mary Cromartie, Caldwell, Texas; Misses Bessie and Carlotta Love, Ham; Mrs. Llewellyn Cox, Berkley, Va.; Miss Ella Jester, Murfreesboro; Messrs. Rob Beatty, Ivanhoe; Stephen Hawes, Atkinson; Stephen Page, Sumter, S. C.; Fenton and Will Jester, Norfolk, Va.; John Wells, John Hall, Harrell's Store; Tom and Norman McDowell, Elizabethtown; Roy Council and Wilbur Downing, White Oak; Chesvis Kerr, Clinton; Bayard Johnson and David Sloan, Ingold; Winnin Dyson, Ham; John Robinson, Ivanhoe; Robert Murphy, Tomahawk.

The White Lake is a beautiful sheet of water and is one of the lakes for which Bladen county is quite famous. It is situated about ten miles from Garland and about four miles from the Cape Fear river. There are two residences on the shore of this lake, one owned by Mrs. Bettie Love and the other by Mr. Ralph Melvin. These families entertain the parties that go to this resort seeking pleasure.

The bathing is superb, as the water is generally very calm, and the beautiful white sand in the lake enables one to see the bottom anywhere. The fishing is fine and sailing and rowing delightful. Truly this is as fine a Summer, as well as Winter, resort as can be found in the State.

THE SPANISH SITUATION.

Another Outbreak is Feared—Water Famine Threatened—Killed.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Barcelona, Aug. 6.—The prospects of another outbreak in Spain seem today to depend on the course the authorities pursue regarding the prisoners that have been in the Montjuich fortress since the disorders of last week. These include several aldermen and a number of prominent Republicans.

If they are condemned to death or given unusually severe sentences, it is said that 30,000 men are prepared to open a guerilla warfare upon the government in which bombs and incendiarism will play an important part.

Oran, Algeria, Aug. 6.—According to official information received here the Riffs who are opposing the Spaniards at Melilla, have cut off a large part of the Spanish water supply, and the town is threatened with a water famine and epidemic.

Lisbon, Aug. 6.—The Secoll's correspondent says that the Spaniads have lost 500 men killed and 1,200 wounded in the last three days' fighting with the Moorish tribesmen and that 35 officers and 150 men have fallen into the hands of the Moors, who tortured them before putting them to death.

GREECE AND TURKEY AT OUTS

Diplomatic Relations Will Be Off If Cretan Affairs is Not Settled.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Constantinople, Aug. 6.—The porte has sent a note to Greece demanding a formal declaration by that country of non interference in Cretan affairs.

In the event of a refusal to accede to the demand Turkey will break off diplomatic relations with Greece.

All pants are sold at reduced prices at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

Bags and suit cases sold at one-third off at J. W. H. Fuchs. au 7-3t.

Shirt waist sale at Rehder's today, $1.50 values at 98 cents. **

MANN'S MAJORITY SMALL.

Additional Reports Place It Between Three and Five Thousand.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Roanoke, Va., Aug. 6—Up to a late hour tonight returns indicate that Mann's majority in the State is practically the same as last night, which is from 3,000 to 5,000. Brown, for commissioner of agriculture, is gaining heavily and there is a possibility that he has defeated Koiner, the incumbent.

Ellyson, for Lieutenant Governor, and Williams for Attorney General, are elected beyond a doubt. Mann's majority in the Ninth Congressional district is estimated at 1,500.

Mann carries Scott county by 550; Washington county by 400; Bristol City by 238. He has also carried Russell and Giles counties with maporities ranging from 200 to 300.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51, A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements always call the Star office No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

WILL THE GENTLEMAN who took umbrella from Furlong's office under misapprehension that it was his own yesterday, please return the same? Handle has initials "F. T. S." au 7 1t

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms with bath, suitable for light housekeeping in private or apartment house near public school. Second story preferred. Address "S" care Star. au 7 1t*

TODAY—Saturday, August 7th The People's Building and Loan Association opens the 11th series of stock. Don't neglect to get stock early. We want every progressive citizen in this record breaking series. Shares cost 25 cents each, payable weekly. Books open from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., office 206 Princess street. Wm. F. Robertson, president; D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer. au 7 tf

FOR SALE—The valuable property on Princess street known as the "Star Building." Size of lot 68 1-2 by 56 feet, including all of the narrow alley east and half of the wide alley west of the building. For further particulars address Wm. H. Bernard, 111 South Fifth street. aug 7 6t.

203 MEN WANTED at once to shoot pool at 2 1-2 cents per cue. All kinds of cold drinks, cigars, cigarettes and tobacco. Melvin Horne, 121 and 123 Princess street. jl 9-tf.

FOR RENT—From October 1st, store No. 116 Market, near Front street now and for the past ten years occupied by Mr. J. Weil as a retail dry goods store. This is one of the largest stores in the city, site 25x120 feet, with large plate glass show windows, fine shelving and counters. Second floor above store can be secured if desired. B. H. J. Ahrens. jl 28-2w.

WOOD FOR SALE—Cut in stove lengths, at $1.00 per load delivered. Stephens Construction Co. Inc., 124 South Front street. 'Phone 630. au 4 2w

FOUND—On Fifth street, corner of Castle, a druggist that sends all over the city, gets prescriptions, fills and returns without extra cost. 'Phone 192 and 1277. jl 9-tf.

SEND YOUR FILMS to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

MONEY TO LOAN on diamonds, watches, jewelry and all kinds of personal property at Uncle Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. au 1-tf.

FOR SALE—No. 3 Hege Saw Mill, and Chase Shingle Mill, complete outfit in first class running order. To responsible party would accept lumber or shingles for part or all pay. Address Machinery Exchange, Fayetteville, N. C. jul 18 sa su 1m

SPENDING THE SUMMER on the Beach. There is no better time than now to have your residence wired for electric lights, cheaper than oil or gas. The conveniences of electricity will pay for wiring a residence in one month's time. I have a large stock of electric fans, electric irons, water heaters, bread toasters, coffee percolators and electric curling irons, that must be sold regardless of price. Have a large force of electricians and can do your house wiring promptly at a small cost. New and complete line of chandeliers, glassware, etc., to select from. Full line of supplies for automobiles and gas launches. J. O. Brock, 123 Market street, 'phone 573. au 1-6t.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED—Sewing; good work at reasonable prices. Call at 309 North Front street, or 'phone 1484. au 6 2t

WANTED—Lady or gentleman to take charge of small business. Cash bond required. Good salary to right party. Address "Business" care of Star. au 6-3t.

FOR SALE—Three registered collie bitch puppies, nine weeks old. They are beauties. Price $10.00. Can be seen at Seashore or Orton hotel. au 6-3t.

WANTED AT ONCE—A purchaser for 12 doors and frames with transoms and all hardware. Price $2.50 each, can be sen at building next to Star office. J. H. Hinton. au 6-3t.

FOR RENT—Second floor of Red Men's Building, North Front street; suitable for offices or living apartments; also third floor three night a week for lodge purposes. Apply to F. T. Skipper, 212 Princess street. au 6-fr-su-2t.

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ATLANTIC VIEW HOTEL Wrightsville, N. C., on mainland, five minutes ride to Wrightsville Beach. Best family resort along the coast. Perfect safety from storms. Good bathing, boating and fishing. Terms reasonable. Mrs. Katherine Ray, proprietor. 'Phone 894-3. je 24-tf.

FOR SALE—Valuable store and dwelling property, northeast corner of Chesnut and Seventh streets, running to MacRae street. A bargain to quick purchaser. Also a fine lot with dwelling thereon, on South Third street, east side; bear that in mind, 99x185 feet. We are not offering this as a bargain, but to those who value a beautiful location for its own sake, and the pleasure it gives in its ownership. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. 'Phone 766. au 1-tf.

"SAY JOHN where are you going?" C. D. Gilbert & Bro., of course! Why? Because they always give me honest prices for my beeswax, hides, tallow, wool, N. C., Hams and country produce. You try them, and you will go there in the future yourself. C. D. Gilbert & Bro., 212 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. jul 25 tf

STOCK WANTED—25 shares Atlantic Coast Line, of Connecticut; 10, Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.; 10, People's Savings Bank; 25, Tidewater Power Company, common; 10, Hartsville Cotton Mills. Name lowest prices. C. E. Taylor, Jr. jul 30 6t

I AM AUTHORIZED by the Loan department of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, to offer loans of not less than $3,000 on good business property, for from three to five years at 6 per cent. interest. K. C. Sidbury, Room 20, Garrell Building. au 5-6t

SPECIAL OFFER—Six half cabinet photographs and one platinum finish enlargement, for one dollar. Best value ever offered. Titmas & Foltz Props. The Gem Studio, 114 Market street, Wilmington, N. C fe 17-tf

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The Southern National Bank
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PROPOSALS.

For four, 3-inch deep wells, telescoped with 2-inch if necessary, and pumps to be put down in the City of Wilmington, N. C. at the following places:

Third and Wright,
Sixth and Ann,
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Flow of water to be not less than 5 gallons per minute, and same acceptable for drinking purposes to both the State Chemist and City Physician.

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Work to commence not later than September 1st, 1909, and all wells to be finished and turned over to the City as soon as practicable.

A justified bond of $150.00 will be required for the faithful carrying out of the above contract.

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